



Tip Keller is anxious for Joe Matthews to return the tailor shears that he borrowed just before he left for Hawaii as he supposed by this time that he has learned that at an ordinary pair of shears will cut the grass that grows in the Hawaiian Islands.

The Big Ox had his ears pinned down by Big Jim following an argument at the Top Hat recently.

The Catholic Ladies will serve dinner and supper at their Catholic Hall Saturday, July 20, to which they invite the public. The Catholic communities of Scott County each year serve a picnic dinner and supper in order to raise money to carry on their work for the community. The Sikeston Catholic ladies are noted for their meals and this one will be among their best.

We had the pleasure of a visit with Governor Park Tuesday evening also, with Judge Billings. These gentlemen were here to speak to the thousands who assembled at Malone Park that evening.

The four-page issue of Tuesday was made necessary for the reason the primary election ballots were being handled in The Standard office and the force was too occupied with that task to print an insert and certain foreign ads could be handled in this issue without loss of advertising.

Four more days and the battle will be on and the fifth day we can all settle down to our former vocations and wonder why we got so excited about who would receive the nomination for the different offices. But such is life in this glorious land of ours.

Governor Happy Chandler, of Kentucky, is ill from drinking water that had been poisoned, so the physicians said. He is a candidate for the United States Senate against Senator Barkley. Here's hoping Happy will snap out of his illness and snap into Barkley's seat. Just why a Kentucky gentleman would be drinking water for is hard to understand especially where they have good whiskey.

Just a few more days that the campaign has got to spread his poison. Not a candidate running in Scott County but what is a man of standing in his community and are not repeating scandal about his competitor. It is the "friends" of some candidate who scatter the stories that are repeated and added to that makes the poison. Listen to no stories but take the man for what he is.

A revision of The Standard subscription list is now being made and cards sent out notifying readers of dues. This doesn't mean that we are afraid that subscriptions will not be paid but it is necessary to keep our list in an up-to-date manner and unless prompt payment is made the paper will be discontinued.

Our grandson, Wm. E. Payne, Jr., of Arlington, Va., has a keen eye as he made a perfect 200 at a recent shoot using .32 gauge rifle. He is now attending a marksmanship shoot at Richmond, Va., and we hope the lad can shoot a clean score in this state shoot.

There is something spooky about the WPA from office in Scott County. Recently a man by the name of Frank Davis was assigned to work on a WPA project and another Frank Davis received the card and proceeded to work for two periods. On July 19 J. Milton Jones, colored, was ordered to a project on the Malaria control, but J. M. Jones, white, must have been given the card, and now J. M. Jones, colored, wants his rights to work. The matter is being investigated to find out whose fault it was, and who is to pay the other Jones for the work that the one Jones is now doing.

MOORE-SPARKS
Following the marriage of Mrs. Lillian Sparks and Fred Moore at the Catholic parsonage in Sikeston, on July 7th, the newly wedded couple left for a trip to Colorado and Kansas. Father John J. O'Neill solemnized the marriage.
Mrs. Moore has lived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Walker for the past four years and Mrs. Moore, who is a brother of Mrs. Anna Ansell, is a retired mail carrier. He built a new home on Woodlawn last year, where he and his wife will reside on their return from the west.

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City Ready to Go Ahead With New Street Paving Operations

Paving of New Street from Gladys to William, a problematical step by the city for the past several weeks, was assured Monday night at an informal meeting of the City Council.

Earl Allen, a resident on the street, told the aldermen that he had secured more than \$1000 in cash toward the city's estimated expense of \$2800 on the three-block WPA project.

Opinion was expressed that New Street could be paved, and afterward any other paving could be done only if property owners on the street benefited advanced the full amount of cash necessary for the sponsor's portion. In other words, no more long-term tax bills could be issued to pay for the future paving jobs.

Mayor Presnell Tuesday morning notified the WPA that they

could resume operations on New Street. Work was begun on the street a few weeks ago but the city ordered it halted after it had progressed for only 30 minutes because of the uncertainty of paying for the job.

If the city could sell its tax bills to the RFC or other government agency, it might partially finance—along with owners—the paving of more streets, it was stated.

Without paving projects here to keep men employed, the WPA may embark on curb and gutter improvement.

An ordinance had already been passed authorizing the paving of New Street, so that official council action is not necessary. The city needed only to be positive of its finances before going ahead with more work.

Diggers for Golf Clubhouse Find Water Level Too High

The water level beneath the ground surface at the airport golf course has given the building committee of the Country Club and the WPA a problem to solve—how to dig a 3½-foot basement for the new clubhouse when the diggers strike water at five feet.

A WPA workmen Saturday dug a foot below the four-foot level, to which the excavation had proceeded, speared his shovel into soft sand—water sand—beyond a doubt the water level. Operations were halted while WPA and Country Club heads reconferred on what to do next.

George Kirk of the building committee said Thursday the most logical course would be to increase the height of the building about a foot and a half with a

more shallow basement that plans call for. Architects plans called for excavation to a depth of five and half feet, and about eight inches of this depth would be taken up with the concrete flooring. If waterproof cement is used, the basement might be installed at a depth only slightly less than designated.

The site of the clubhouse is on the highest spot of the golf course. A depth of about five feet, however, strikes the level of the drainage ditch to the east which flows water the year round.

Altering the plans may take considerable time, depending upon WPA requirements and the approval of higher offices necessary. Country Club members will meet in the near future to discuss what change will be taken.

Rabban Flattens J. Markus, Tiger Long Unseats Burns

Najebe Rabban's magnificent power stopped Jerry Markus in the ring Wednesday night at the Legion arena before the Louisiana had a chance to do much harm. Rough-housing his way along, Markus applied a baker's dozen of the uncouth holds. He did win the second fall, though.

Tiger Long of Florida substituted for Sailor Jack Adams, the Vermont plug-ugly, and whipped Cyclone Burns in three falls.

Rabban favored body slams and Markus opened up using the head scissors and Japanese leg holds. Bending Rabban's arm requires the same process as bending a steel I-beam intended for a 20-story building. Markus found it so in the first frame. He then started choking and slugging. The Kurd lost his temper and lifted Markus out of a ring with a blow. This fall went to Rabban in 15 minutes with a body slam and body pin.

For diversion, the crowd got a clean match between Long and Burns, both of whom live in Florida and probably are too close to each other's home to dare to get really mad at one another.

Long peeled off a flying head scissors and body straddle that gave him the first fall; time, 17 minutes. Long in the second applied Japanese arm locks and Burns tried the flying head scissors and attempted his famous neck-breaker, but Tiger was chary of this hold and evaded it. Burns' victory was brought about by a combination Japanese leg lock and surf board, in 10 minutes, which, believe me, is just about tying a man in a sheepskin knot.

In the deciding fall, Tiger lifted Burns for an airplane spin. When Burns took off, he landed against the referee, and both made a three-point landing. Long became the evening's champ after five minutes sparring with kangaroo kicks and body pin.

Red Cross Sponsors Water Safety, Life-Saving Classes

A predetermined effort to forestall the grim harvest of deaths-by-drowning, which throughout the country claims 7000 lives annually, is made by the American Red Cross life-saving service, which will conduct classes in water safety and life-saving at the Sikeston Natatorium.

Wilbur Ensor, chairman of the service in Scott County, and P. D. Malone will conduct the class. It will begin the last of this week or the first of next week, depending upon the registration response. These instructors are qualified by the Red Cross to teach the swimmers details about swimming and rescue work.

Applicants are asked to enroll with John Dover at the pool. There will be two classes, one for juniors, under 17 years, and another for seniors, over 17 years. Hours and days of classes will be determined after the classes are organized.

Mr. Ensor issued some timely tips about swimming:

"Do not dive into water that is muddy or of unknown depth without first exporing the bottom with your feet.

"To keep the feet from sinking in a vertical position when floating, relax elbows and knees and open arms and legs to the sides. As the arms are held sharply to the side and held there, the legs should be pressed together, forcing the water out. If this is done slowly and smoothly, it is possible to stay afloat for hours.

"When wading breast-deep in a stream, go against the current and

not with it to avoid being swept into deep holes. If you lose your footing swim with the current, making for the shore at an angle, instead of fighting the stream.

"It is best to wait at least an hour and a half after eating before going into the water, to insure against cramp.

"When boat or canoe overturns, stay with it. Any one who has the buoyancy to support its regular load of people whether right side or bottom up.

"Do not try to show off skills which you do not possess. Statistics show men and boys are usually at fault here. About 10 males drown for every female. No one is superior to safety regulations.

"Do not use a large water play-ball if there is an off-shore breeze. Poor swimmers have been lured into deep water without ever catching up with the ball. When the ball starts drifting off shore, children should be cautioned to let it go. Let some one chase it in a boat.

"The once-stable canoe has become ticklish to handle because paddlers insist on sitting on seats with their knees in the air and three quarters of the weight of the body several inches above the waterline. A kneeling pad is necessary.

"A non-swimmer can save a drowning person by throwing him a ring buoy or a life line, or using a rowboat or a canoe."

The Red Cross conducts 14 aquatic schools in 13 states to train life guards and swimming instructors.

WPA Projects at Schools Continued

WPA scrub women who have spent the summer months so far cleaning the High School building have gone to the negro school to brighten it up before that school opens in the next few weeks. The negro school begins its fall term before the other city schools, depending upon the cotton season.

When they finish at the negro school, the scrub women will be transferred to the South Grade School. They performed the heavier cleaning tasks at the High School, beginning May 26, greatly improving the looks of the interior.

Beginning Aug. 1, a WPA project will supply more walks for Bailey and South Grade schools. The School Board will furnish materials. At Bailey, branch walks extending from the main front walk to the side entrances will be laid. At South Grade School the walk in the front of the building will be extended.

Billings Speakers Attack Douglas Backers' Tactics

Counter-charges of bossism and political coercion in the race for the Supreme Court judgeship rang out in Malone Park Tuesday night when the Billings-for-Judge campaign moved into Sikeston with four speakers, including the Kennett candidate himself, taking the stand before a large audience.

The charges were leveled at Gov. Lloyd Stark and associates who are backing Judge James Douglas for the supreme bench and who attacked the Billings supporters here last week.

Former Gov. Guy B. Park, Secretary of State Dwight Brown, Roy Harper of Caruthersville and Judge Billings were the speakers. While the others went directly into the thick of the battle, Judge Billings confined his remarks to a few comments on the judgeship and met well-wishers at the stand afterward. Speakers were introduced by Robert Dempster, who was in charge of local arrangements.

Park said as governor one of his first official acts was to appoint Southeast Missouri friends of Russell Dearthmont, unsuccessful Cape Girardeau candidate for governor in 1932, to important state posts. Stephen B. Hunter as warden of the state prison, Tom Scott as deputy warden and H. G. "Chilly" Simpson to the State Highway Commission.

The ex-governor obviously brought out these points because at the meeting last week it was declared that the Kansas City forces had brought about Dearthmont's defeat and had forgotten Southeast Missouri.

The cry of "boss" rose again, this time directed at the St. Louis Democratic organization. Park contended that Stark's original choice for the contested Supreme Court post was Wesley McAtee, prominent St. Louis attorney, Mayor Bernard Dickmann, as head of the St. Louis faction, vetoed this, he declared. In St. Louis, he stated, there are now pending 68 vote fraud cases, and canvassers cannot locate 34,842 registered voters there. This was a counter-attack against the previous assertions of illegal voting in Kansas City.

Newspaper opposition to Billings comes from the same papers who in 1936 opposed Franklin Roosevelt and backed Landon, he

Brown Sox Meets Dexter Team Here

The Brown Sox have secured the services of a hurler from Perryville, Cecil Graves, for their game here this Sunday against the Dexter team, according to Secretary Charles Bethune.

Dexter in a home run circus won over the Brown Sox there a few weeks ago. The Sox hope to have their mound crew considerably strengthened by the imported tosser.

Jimmy Law will not be in the lineup Sunday. Slim Limbaugh will catch and Carl Eaton will take over Law's tenure at first. The remainder of the lineup will see Ray Bandy at short, Billy Roberts at second, Price Marshall at third, and Johnny Rogers, Clarence Dowdy and Frank Kindred in left, center and right field.

Sunday week the Brown Sox go to Illinois to play the Big Bucks, then West Frankfort, Ill., comes here, followed by the Big Bucks here.

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Band Concert Is Postponed a Week

The High School band concert set for this Friday night at Malone Park has been postponed to next Friday, Aug. 5, because of band activities this week, according to Director R. D. Sorrells.

The band played here Tuesday night at the political rally, at Salcedo Wednesday night for the Rootwad Picnic and was to play at the watermelon festival in Charleston Thursday night. It therefore could not find time for the concert rehearsal in the crowded week.

Approximately 20 girls have enrolled for the drum and bugle corps being organized by Mr. Sorrells. Drum practice will begin next week.

Pupils in violin still can be taken, he said. Miss Mary McCray, new music teacher in the grade schools, is an expert in violin and can instruct starting pupils. Mr. Sorrells said.

Industrial Arts Teacher Chosen for High School

Chester L. Bueker, a graduate of the Warrensburg Teachers College in 1936, has been selected industrial arts teacher in the High School for the coming term, Supt. R. A. Harper announced Wednesday.

Mr. Bueker, whose home is in Grand Pass, Mo., in the north central part of the state, is now doing graduate work in vocational education at the University of Missouri.

The new appointee will succeed Vernon Green, who will be transferred to the physical education department exclusively. Mr. Green the past year was basketball coach and performed other duties in physical education in addition to his industrial arts class direction. He will take over that part of the physical education work vacated by Joe Spudich, who is to teach the coming term at Cairo, Ill.

Miss Mary McCray of Ash Grove, Mo., a graduate of the Springfield Teachers College with a major in music, will teach music in the grade schools and have part of the music instruction in the high school. She taught at Hartwell for two years and was re-elected there with a raise in pay.

Selection of these teachers leaves only the position of junior high school mathematics teacher open in the school system.

New teachers chosen, other than those mentioned, are Miss Mary E. Patterson of Parma, Miss Deema Parker of near Sikeston, Miss Helen Flint of Webster Groves and Garland Parker of Kennett.

A fourth teacher will be hired at the negro school for home economics and other subjects.

Sons of Legion Preparing For Convention Activities

Sons of the American Legion are preparing in two fields for the state Legion convention at Cape Girardeau in September—with their drum and bugle corps and in softball.

Beginning this week, the Sikeston squadron will practice on the drums and bugles two nights a week until the convention, so that the boys can make a presentable appearance in the big parade of the convention.

The corps has been practicing Monday nights under Director E. F. Fish of Charleston and this Friday will commence its second session of the week.

A letter from Tom Ferguson, chairman of the boys committee at Cape Girardeau, to Harry Kirk, head of the boys' group here, Monday requested that the Cape Girardeau and Sikeston squadrons' softball teams meet each other in

an elimination game in the near future. The winner would play Jackson, and the victory in this match would meet the St. Louis district winner for the state softball championship at the Cape convention.

The Sikeston-Cape Girardeau game could be played at some intermediate point, such as Benton, Mr. Ferguson suggested.

It is very unlikely that posts of the western part of the state would send softball teams, Mr. Kirk said. Hence, the game at the state convention could be considered a state clash.

Shelley Hudson is manager of the boys team here. Practice will be every Friday evening.

At the Legion meeting of Monday, Aug. 8, the post and sons will hold a joint meeting with a hot dog supper to pep up the lads for the convention.

Co. K. to March in St. Joe Celebration While at Camp

Co. K boys from Sikeston, on a "vacation" at the big encampment at Camp Clark, Nevada, will get another vacation from this place.

Second Lieutenant T. R. Yancey of the National Guard quartermaster corps, at Jefferson City, notified Maj. Harry E. Dudley here Wednesday afternoon that the Third Battalion of the 140th Infantry—which includes Co. K—would take part in the Platte Purchase Parade in St. Joe on Aug. 20.

The celebration comes during the state encampment of the National Guard at Camp Clark, from Aug. 13 to 28.

Major Dudley is commander of the Third Battalion, consisting of Companies I, K, L and M, with headquarters company at Cape Girardeau.

The Third Battalion will be the only unit of the Missouri Guard in the parade. Its appearance in the celebration was made possible

through the approval of Col. George W. Phipps of Caruthersville. The plan, according to Lieut. Yancey, is to have the battalion bivouac on city property at St. Joe on the evening of Aug. 19 for the parade at 2 p. m. Aug. 20. A swimming pool adjoins the grounds, and the soldiers will have an opportunity to enjoy this recreation, it was noted. They will go to St. Joe by truck.

Approximately 60 enlisted men and three officers will leave this city on Aug. 13 for the two-week annual guard encampment. Last year the company spent its two weeks at Ft. Riley, Kans., participating in war games with the guards of several other states.

Officers of the company are Capt. R. R. Reed and Lieutenants Wade Shankle and Carl Wilkerson. In addition, from this city, go Major Dudley and Capt. Tanner Dye, regimental supply officer of the 140th infantry.

Ditch Job to Relieve High Water Habit of North End

No longer will people of the north end live in a lake following heavy spring rains. WPA laborers are engaged in cleaning and deepening the "Hart's Woods Ditch" that was originally built to keep Sikeston free of the water that collected in the long slough extending nearly to McMullin.

The ditch runs at a sharp angle east from Highway 61, at a point a block north of Ranney, and near Hart's Woods swings around in the direction of the baseball park.

City Engineer Harvey Johnson said work on the ditch from the lower end had progressed for 900 feet. It is being cut to a depth of six feet. In former years it drained the water but weeds and debris had filled it until its bed stood considerably higher than the low part of the slough. This spring water to a depth of several feet stood for several blocks in the city after heavy rains because the slough had no drain.

The city engineer also gave the paving schedule for the city. New Street is next on the list and probably work on it will get under way on Monday, first day of the new WPA period, although a later date may be set. Afterward, 364 feet on East Gladys off Kingshighway will be paved, as cash has been advanced for this project. Workers then will move to the alley at the rear of the City Hall, which has been slated for paving for several months.

Residents are also interested in

paving one block, between Ranney and Park, on two streets, Hunter and College.

After the New Street job, the city will not be able to carry any tax bills on its share of the WPA work, so all property owners wanting paving must raise the full amount of money.

Mr. Johnson can use trucks to haul dirt on the jobs at 72 cents an hour. People who need dirt can have it by supplying the truck to haul it. Bids will be taken soon for sand and gravel.

AUTO ALMOST ENTERS WESTERN UNION OFFICE

Bricks in the front base below the show window of the Western Union office were jarred loose in a freak accident Tuesday caused by a car that hopped from its parking spot over the 18-inch curb, shot across the sidewalk tere into the wall.

Miss Ruby Moore of Poplar Bluff was seated in the automobile of J. R. Price of Maplewood, who was transacting business nearby. A man parked in front of the V-8 she was in found his car too tightly wedged into the parking zone and moved her car back for her because she was unable to drive. The man left the ignition switch on and the car in gear. Shortly after, Miss Moore, endeavoring to get out, accidentally touched the starter button on the dashboard and the Ford took off.

She was not hurt, nor the car damaged much.

Standard Opens New Quaker Oats Drive

Selected to participate in the new national advertising campaign on Quaker Oats, the Standard today prints the first of a series of eight advertisements that are being run in support of this product in the Sikeston market.

Other advertising media chosen by The Quaker Oats Company for this new campaign include 400 daily newspapers, a large list of Sunday newspaper rotogravure sections and two magazines widely distributed with newspapers, "The American Weekly" and "This Week."

Local grocers are cooperating with this extensive drive to publicize the health benefits and economy of Quaker Oats as a year-around cereal. Oatmeal is nature's richest economical food source of Thiamin (Vitamin B1), the food element that is essential for sound nerves and good digestion. In fact, scientific research has shown that without Thiamin good health is impossible. Thiamin is not stored in the body. This means everybody should have fresh daily supplies, say dietetic authorities.

Mothers who have been impressed by the healthy growth and sound progress of those world-famous young Canadian Misses, the Dionne Quins, will be interested in learning that Thiamin is richly contained in oatmeal. Throughout the critical growing period, oatmeal has been an important part of the Quins' diet. In fact, Quaker Oats is the brand of oatmeal given full approval by authorities in charge of the Quins' care and feeding.

HIGH SCHOOL BOYS WILL PLAY FAST BLUFF TEAM

The Highway School boys softball team will encounter some stiff opposition Friday night against the fast Midwest team of Poplar Bluff. The teams will meet at Poplar Bluff.

The Sikeston High girls and the local International Shoe Co. girls will play an exhibition preliminary game.

Midwest won the first half championship at Poplar Bluff. In five recent consecutive games, opposing players got a total of 17 hits off Midwest pitchers.

SEMO CROP PROSPECTS GENERALLY FAVORABLE

Observations of crop conditions in this territory show crop conditions generally good. Pemiscott County had an excess rainfall early in the season and its cotton does not look as good as that to the north in New Madrid and Scott counties. Dunklin County, on the other hand, had an early dry season that seemed to hamper its crops, but a late rainfall broke the backbone of this drought.

FIDELITY CLASS NOTICE

The Fidelity Class of the Baptist church will meet Monday night, Aug. 1, at the home of Mrs. Willard Sexton with Mrs. D. H. Page as assistant hostess.

ARBUTUS CLASS TO MEET WITH MRS. REEVES MONDAY

The Arbutus Class of the First Baptist church will meet at the home of Mrs. James Reeves at Miner Switch Monday evening, August 1. There will be a way provided for everyone, and every member is asked to attend.

LEGION AUXILIARY TO MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held at the Hut Tuesday evening, Aug. 2. All members please attend.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Sunday, 9 a. m. Sermon subject: "Life's Highest Goal."

Sunday, 8 p. m. Sermon subject: "A Charge To Keep."

Sunday School, 10 a. m. Mr. Elmer Poage, Superintendent.

Young Peoples' Meeting, 6:30.

About forty young people from the Presbyterian Church at New Madrid were guests of the people at the Local Presbyterian Sunday evening. Vespers were led by Miss Jennell Bishop at 5:30, and a Fellowship Hour in the basement of the church followed, with Mrs. Elmer Poage in charge, and at eight o'clock all attended the regular Evening Worship.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Rohald and daughter, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Larry Tucker of Poplar Bluff, are spending the month of July in Florida.

SOFTBALL GAME AT MAYFIELD POSTPONED

The softball game this Thursday night between the Sikeston All-Stars and the Mayfield, Ky., Style Marts was postponed Thursday afternoon. A telephone message from Mayfield to John Sikes at 2:30 p. m. said it had been raining since noon there and the field would be unfit to play on. The game there will be arranged for a later date by mail. Mr. Sikes said. Meanwhile, the Style Marts will come here next Tuesday.

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Announcements

For Congressman

We are authorized to announce Orville Zimmerman as a Democratic candidate for Congress, 10th Missouri District, subject to the action of the party at the General Primary Election to be held August 2, 1938.

For Legislature

We are authorized to announce C. C. White as a Democratic Candidate for the Legislature from Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce J. S. Wallace as a Democratic Candidate for the Legislature from Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

For Probate Judge

We are authorized to announce O. L. Spencer as a Democratic Candidate for Probate Judge of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

Presiding Judge

We are authorized to announce J. W. Heeb as a Democratic Candidate for Presiding Judge of the Scott County Court at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce J. D. O'Connor as a Democratic Candidate for Presiding Judge of the Scott County court at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

For Circuit Clerk

We are authorized to announce Leo J. Pfefferkorn as a candidate for Circuit Clerk of Scott County at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

For County Clerk

We are authorized to announce Harry C. Watkins, Jr., as a Democratic Candidate for County Clerk of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

For Prosecuting Attorney

We are authorized to announce David E. Blanton as a Democratic Candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

For Sheriff

We are authorized to announce John Hobbs as a Democratic Candidate for Sheriff of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

Recorder of Deeds

We are authorized to announce H. F. Kirkpatrick as a Democratic Candidate for Recorder of Deeds of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

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For County Collector

We are authorized to announce William Oliver as a Democratic Candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce Elmos Taylor as a Democratic Candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce Tom Scott as a Democratic Candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

We are authorized to announce C. E. Felker as a Democratic Candidate for Collector of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

For County Treasurer

We are authorized to announce Emil Steck as a Democratic Candidate for Treasurer of Scott County at the August primary, subject to the will of the voters.

For Constable

We are authorized to announce Walter Ansel as a candidate for Constable for Richland Township at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

We are authorized to announce Claude McManus as a candidate for Constable of Richland Township at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

We are authorized to announce Ira Shuffitt as a candidate for Constable for Richland Township at the August primary subject to the will of the Democratic voters.

We are told by farmers who know that Johnson grass is about to take some of the best farm land on the Sikeston Ridge. How to get rid of the troublesome weed is what they would like to find out. It is reported to The Standard that it is very hard to eradicate when once it gets a start and besides it would cost from \$40 to \$50 per acre to rid the fields of this torment. North of Sikeston the grass has taken a firm hold on some farms and has about taken the land. There should be some Government fund that could be used to sweep this land clean of the Johnson grass and Congressmen Zimmerman and O'Connor are the men to take the matter up with the Agricultural Department in Washington and ask for help to reclaim this land.

The editor is in receipt of a letter from one Art L. Wallhausen, editor of the Charleston Enterprise-Courier, stating in no uncertain terms that he is a Democrat, and we extend to him a hearty hand of fellowship. We note also that he probably possesses a superior mental complex in comparison with that of the editor of the Cash-Book, all of which is most assuring to the Democratic press of Southeast Missouri, and we will gladly recommend him to the brain trust of the family. Twice welcome.—Jackson Cash-Book.

The city administration never did a better thing than to bar foreign fruit and vegetable and fish peddlers from the public streets. The traffic hazards are reduced, the appearance of the town is enhanced, health conditions are improved, and nobody is injured except those from the outside who do nothing whatever for the community. — Fredericktown Democrat.

NAZARENE CHURCH

Rev. Charles Hamilton of near Malden will preach at Thursday evening services, which begin at 7:30 p. m.

The Golden Rule Class, consisting of young married women, will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Milton Crase, on Cresap Street, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Sunday morning the message will be on the topic, "What We Believe."

Sunday evening, "Behold He Cometh!"

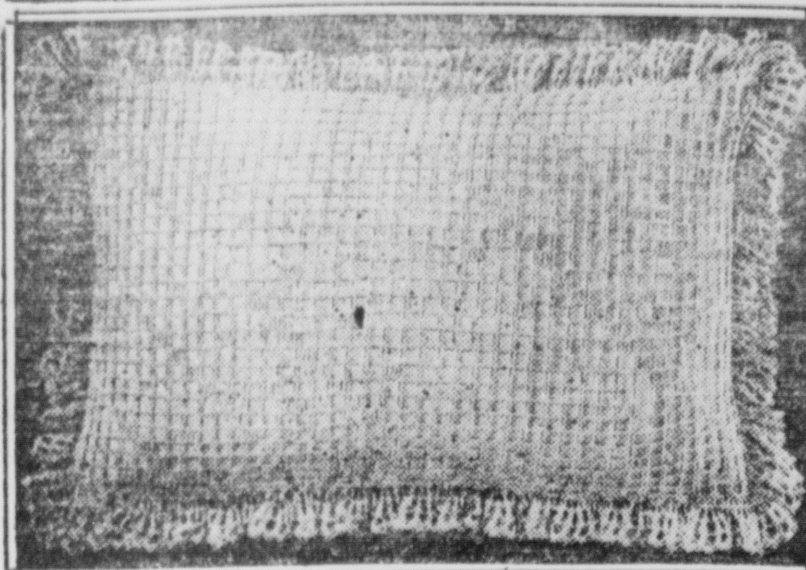
There will be a revival beginning Aug. 4 sponsored by the NYPS and conducted by Rev. and Mrs. K. R. Slate of Wright City.

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A WORLD CRUISE

By W. R. Lence

Sailing from Koe, Sunday morning, April 18th, we pass through the strait which separates the islands of Hondo and Shikoku, and enter the Pacific Ocean proper. We have been out for three months and eight days, but it is said that here is where we first touch the Pacific. The voyage has included the Celebes Sea and Salu Sea which some include as a part of the Pacific, but those who claim to know say that they are a part of South China Sea.

Here we are on the wildest, deepest and largest of all bodies of water. It covers one third of all the earth's surface, and is larger than all of the land area. Its breadth from Mindanao Island, one of the Philippines, and Panama is 10,688 statute miles. From Berin Strait on the north to Antarctica it is 9,632 statute miles.

The Pacific's greatest known depth is 35,433 feet, about 634 miles, at a point a short distance east of Mindanao Island, called Philippine Trench. There is a spread of more than twelve miles between the top of the highest mountain and the greatest known sea depth. There is a theory that the height of the highest mountain is the same number of feet as the greatest sea depth. But this theory has been exploded. The height of the highest mountain is known. Set Mount Everest down in Philippine Trench and it will lack about a mile and quarter of reaching the surface of the water.

The Reliance docks at Yokohama at seven o'clock in the morning, where she is to rest for four days. Many of the important points of Japan are to be covered by special excursions from here. A special train stands beside the pier to take my group to Tokyo. There is no way of telling when one leaves Yokohama, or when he arrives at Tokyo, because it is built up solid from the one to the other. At the magnificent station in Tokyo we are met by new American-made automobiles, chiefly Lincolns, Pierce Arrows and Cadillacs.

The awful earthquake here, September 1st, 1923, killed 70,000 people and destroyed nearly 400,000 structures. The people were down, but not out. And by thrift, cooperative action and hard work they built a new city, of such magnificence as never dreamed of before in the Far East. They laid out twelve main avenues radiating from the Imperial Palace ground in the center. Some of these avenues are 270 feet wide; the narrowest is nearly 150 feet wide. A limit of 100 feet was placed on the height of business structures. They are of uniform height of about seven stories. Department stores here are the equal of New York and other cities. With a population of nearly six million, Tokyo is now the third city of the world.

But all Japan still fears earthquakes. According to one statement the country has had a total of 30,680 since the turn of the century, compared with only 224 during the previous 450 years. Earthquakes in divers places is one of the signs of the most important event in the future of the world's history, Matthew 24:7. Tokyo means "Eastern Capital." In olden times it was called Yedo. The Shoguns who administered

the government under the Emperor had their capital here for centuries before the Emperor took personal charge and moved his capital from Kyoto to Tokyo in 1868 A. D. The street passing in front of the railroad station runs directly to the entrance to the Imperial Palace grounds.

The Palace grounds are surrounded by a wide moat and a high stone wall about two miles in circumference. The surface of these grounds is considerably higher than the rest of the city, and is covered with fantastic pine trees. The palace is concealed among the trees and is not seen from the outside.

Japan is the one country that is prepared for war. If there is any other country that is prepared, I do not know which one it is. Japan has a large standing army and a great navy, and they have spent billions on fortifications. The country is united. The greatest honor that can come to a Japanese is to give his life for his Emperor.

With all the enormous expenditures in war preparation one would naturally think that they are loaded down with debt, but the literature distributed by the official tourist bureau shows that the total national debt in 1934 was 9,090,454,000 yen, which in U. S. money is only \$2,727,136,200. This is at the rate of \$29.32 per capita, compared with our per capita rate of more than \$300.00. The same literature says that the national budget is balanced. Upon making inquiry I was told that it has never been out of balance.

Further inquiries brought out the fact that neither the national government, nor any other unit of government in Japan has ever opened its treasury for unemployment relief, direct relief of any other kind of relief. And that for more than a year they have not had any unemployment problem.

Tokyo is on Tokyo Bay, but Yokohama is its port. It was here that Commodore Perry effected the opening of the door of Japan to the world. Prior to July 8th, 1852, Japan was wholly isolated. Ships of other nations were forbidden to approach its shores, and no Japanese was permitted to leave his country. To guard against their own people leaving, the government forbade the construction of ocean-going vessels.

The fate of Nakahama Manjuro furnishes a tragic example of the

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Scott County

Primary Election Tuesday, August 2, 1938
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rigidity with which these orders were enforced. About 1838 this boy and other Japanese fisherboys were lost at sea in an open boat. An American whaler rescued them and took them to Honolulu. Young Manjuro made his way to San Francisco where a philanthropic American picked him up and sent him to an English school. Several years later he found a way to get back to his native land where he told his story. For his crime of leaving the country he was committed to a dungeon for life. But like Joseph of old he was destined to have a part in the future history of his country.

On March 24th, 1852, Commodore Perry was commissioned to make an expedition to Japan and negotiate a treaty with the government. Other like expeditions had failed because mere naval officers could not contact the Shogun ruler. With unexcelled diplomacy Commodore Perry reached Tokyo Bay and succeeded in delivering a communication from President Fillmore to the Shogun, and opened the ports of Japan to the United States, and to the world. But an interpreter was necessary, and they brought Nakahama Manjuro out of his dungeon. He was the only man in Japan who could speak the English language.

To entitle him to have standing with the high dignitaries, Perry appointed himself "Lord of the Forbidden Interior." The Japs liked this kind of stuff and they agreed to receive an official of such rank.

Commodore Perry took with him a miniature railroad with a shiny brass locomotive. The more superstitious thought the locomotive a habitation of demons and gave it a wide berth. But high officials, disarding dignity, sat astride the train and rode it around the circular track. Perry also demonstrated the Morse telegraph, which had been invented less than ten years before. They strung a line about a mile long, and the curious Japanese at one end sent messages to their friends at the other end. They critically inspected the wire to see if it moved and if it were hollow. Finally, they sent swift runners to intercept the messages enroute, but the messages beat their time.

On March 31st, 1854, the "Lord of the Forbidden Interior," and the High Commissioners of Japan ceremoniously attached their signatures to a treaty which admitted Japan to the world-family of nations, and pledged the two nations to "perfect, permanent and universal peace, and a sincere and cordial amity."

Thus Commodore Perry opened the doors of Nippon to American commerce more than eighty years ago. His act greatly augmented the respect of the world for the Stars and Stripes, and for many years ships flying the American flag had a conspicuous part in the commerce of Japan. But not so now. In this great bustling harbor of Yokohama the Stars and Stripes are conspicuous by their absence. There are many ships in this harbor, but not one flies the American flag. Japanese ships are always in the harbor of my home city of New Orleans, but there is no American ship in sight here.

I have already related in these columns my experience in trying to make this voyage on an American ship. After engaging passage on a Dollar Line steamer all of the American seamen were called out on a strike. Stated in plain English, the issue was: "Shall the shipowners operate their own

business, or shall they turn it over to a racket controlled by a red alien, and pay all the losses?" The only American ship that I have seen in the Far East was a Dollar liner at Hong Kong. I went over and visited with the Captain and asked him how the strike was settled. A part of the issue stated above was: "Shall men be required to pay tribute to a racket before being permitted to work in maritime service?" The settlement of the strike answered this in the power to employ all servants below the Captain. The servants are accountable to the racket instead of the Captain. These are two different forces employed on the Dollar liner to do the work which one force does on our Hitler ship. Each man's pay on the Dollar liner is about four times as much as men of the same class on the Reliance. Yet the Dollar liner must compete with the Hitler ship, the Reliance.

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R. S. Rains, minister.

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I was born on a farm in Alabama, and moved with my parents to Scott County 40 years ago, at the age of 4 years, and settled on a farm in Scott County, near Vanduser, where I was raised on the farm until young manhood, afterwards I engaged in work in a general store.

When the United States entered the World War

I Volunteered for Military Service

from Scott County and served until the end of the war, receiving an honorable discharge, after which I returned home and engaged in the work of a travelling salesman for some ten years, after which I engaged in the mercantile business, which business I continue to follow, my present business being established in Sikeston in 1932.

I served two consecutive terms in the State Legislature as Representative from New Madrid County, during which service I had charge of and handled

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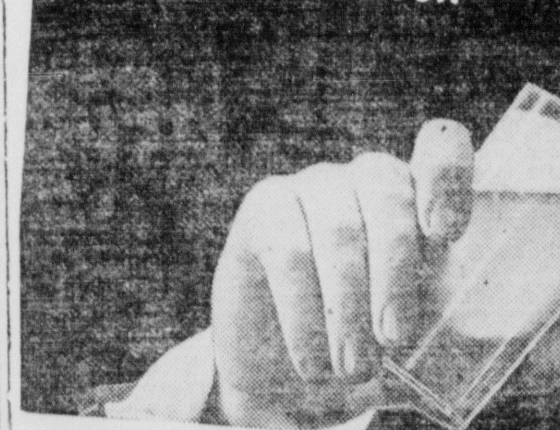
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State of Missouri)
County of Scott)

I, Harry C. Watkins, Jr., Clerk of the County Court, within and for the State and County aforesaid, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list containing the name and post office address of each candidate, together with a designation of the office for which he is a candidate, the party or principle he represents; also, the hours during which the polls will be open.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County Court, Done at office in Benton, this 2nd day of July, 1938.

HARRY C. WATKINS, Jr.,
Clerk of the County Court.
(SEAL)

LEGION DISTRICT CHILD WELFARE SESSION HERE

The 14th District Child Welfare conference of the American Legion will be held in Sikeston on August 7, it was announced at the Post meeting here Monday night.

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Washington Comment

As the month of July moves in to its concluding ten days, the chief business of Washington, both official and private, is looking at the thermometer, mopping moistened brows and longing for a cooling rain. A few other affairs, however, have managed to thrust themselves into notice. The absence of the President leaves a gap, although, as a matter of fact, few Washingtonians see him often and many never have seen him at all. Official Washington is busy for the most part in taking stock as to what it has done and laying plans regarding what it hopes to be able to do when Congress again convenes.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace reports the probability of an unusually large wheat crop, and would see to it that wheat sells at a proper price. Loans in the sum of sixty cents per bushel will be available, through the Commodity Credit Corporation, to those who work with the government in crop control and soil conservation. The United States and China have renewed a recently expired agreement by the terms of which this country buys Chinese silver, and it is expected that trade along that line will amount to 50 million dollars between the present date and the first of the year, roughly stated. China is establishing a credit in American dollars and the credit is used to maintain the Chinese end of the war in which she is engaged.

The clothing business was given a boost a short time ago by the governmental acquisition of 10 million dollars worth of men's clothing, and the movement has progressed through the promised buying of women's garments having a value of 3 million dollars. The supplies will be laid aside until next winter, for distribution to the needy. None but the small time political partisan wants to see the federal authorities make a mistake simply in order to have something with which to find fault, but wouldn't there be a grand and

glorious feeling if, before the season to wear the garments arrived, times would improve to such an extent that coat donation would not be necessary? Desperate diseases sometimes depart suddenly. Who can tell what will happen before snow-fall?

Some anxiety is manifested in the Department of Commerce regarding the alleged decrease in the number of small stores, although doubt is expressed as to whether so many corner shops have closed as is generally believed. It appears, rather, that the drop has been in the amount of sales. At any rate, the small store is not passing from the picture so rapidly as to suggest extinction. Such establishments seem indispensable and probably will abide for a long time, not necessarily because they yield a large profit in the individual instance, but because they furnish employment to those content with a small gain and likely to be out of work otherwise, and since they afford the community a convenience for which it is willing to pay, in the way of prices slightly higher than those asked by more pretentious but less readily accessible places of purchase.

The Home Owners Loan Corporation has come in for some knocks and is said to be grinding the faces of the poor. A group in Congress has suggested changes involving a reduction of interest from 5 to 3 1/2 per cent, a three year moratorium on the payment of principal, and leave to remain in a house after foreclosure, if a rental agreement can be reached. The chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank indignantly denies that his organization is a Shylock. He points out that the suggested moratorium would seriously hamper the government, and states that in the average Federal foreclosure, the property owner has paid no taxes for five years, and has lived in his dwelling rent-free for more than four years, which certainly does not seem to justify the charge of oppression.

Morley News

Misses Geneva and Veda Foster, Lula Ruth Ragains, Betty Watson visited at Oran Sunday.

Jimmie Black of St. Louis is visiting at the J. O. Brasher home. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shores and children visited Mr. and Mrs. George Shores Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leslie of Sikeston visited Mrs. Lottie Leslie Sunday.

Miss Christine Phillips of Farmington spent the week end with her mother Mrs. Geo. Campbell. Mr. and Mrs. George Howie returned to St. Louis Sunday after a week's visit here.

Mrs. Hal May is visiting at St. Louis.

Miss Lula Ragains spent a few days last week at Sikeston with Miss Helen Vera Dudley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Borchelt and daughters and Mrs. John Bryant of Egypt Mills spent Sunday at the Alfred Bryant home.

Miss Ruth and Jona Eachus of St. Louis Genevieve are visiting relatives here.

Five girls of the Baptist Intermediate Sunday School class attended the Baptist assembly at Van Buren last week. Those attending were Camille Stallings, Geneva and Veda Foster, Betty Watson and Norma Jean Bryant. They were accompanied by Mesdames H. F. Emerson and Lottie P. Leslie.

Jimmie Howie of St. Louis visited here Sunday.

Funeral Services were held here Sunday for Odel 14 years old, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell of the Stoddard community in Stoddard County. Funeral Services were conducted by Rev. J. Reynolds of Swinton. Burial was in the Morley cemetery.

Mrs. Myrtle Moll and daughters, Misses Lavinia and Raynette, Bill Gardner and Raymond Shainberg, were guests Sunday of Mrs. Arthur Stein in Cape Girardeau.

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SUMMER DANGEROUS
FOR YOUNG CHILDREN

Jefferson City, July 25.—This is the season for infant diarrhea and enteritis (summer complaint) and parents should be particularly careful to keep young babies as cool as possible and feed them properly, states Dr. Harry F. Parker, state health commissioner.

Combination of heat and improper food causes diarrhea and enteritis which account for more deaths under two years of age than any other single cause, said Dr. Parker, June, July, August and September are the most dangerous months; 355 babies under two died in Missouri from these diseases during this four month period, according to the latest figures.

"Extreme heat seems to reduce a young child's ability to digest food," said Dr. Parker. "Food that are hard to digest such as melons, berries and raw fruits should absolutely be omitted from the infant's diet. It is especially important in summer to boil all milk given to young children as infections causing diarrhea are often borne by unboiled milk."

The first signs are vomiting and loose bowels. When the first symptoms appear, mothers should cut off all food and give nothing but plain boiled water until a physician has been consulted, Dr. Parker advised. Continue to give as much boiled water as the child will take. Remove clothing and keep the infant in the coolest available place. A minimum of clothing should be kept on the young child all summer. A diaper is usually sufficient.

A SELECTED EDITORIAL

During this week, wheat touched a low of 58 cents per bushel, on the local market. The top price quoted was for top wheat; that which tested up to standard. The quality of wheat this year isn't good and most farmers who sold got around 50 cents a bushel.

Every farmer knows he can't make a profit when he sells at such a low price. In fact, when the yield isn't any more than it is this year, he loses money on every acre. There are still a few birds, classed by some as economic experts, who tell us the farmers should go ahead and produce every bushel of grain, every pound of cotton and of other crops they can so there will be an abundance for all.

When farm machinery manufacturers, automobile factories, shoe and clothing factories keep their plants running at full capacity and sell their products below cost of production, the farmers will have some excuse for doing likewise.—Bloomfield Vindicator.

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James V. Billings

Asks your support in his candidacy for Democratic Nomination for Judge of the Missouri Supreme Court—on his record!

History In Brief

Born near LaPlata, Macon County, Mo., Oct. 27, 1858.

Educated in rural schools of Macon and Knox counties. Received degrees in schools of arts and science and law at University of Missouri.

Admitted to Bar, 1916.

Married 1916. Father of five children. Moved to Kennett, Dunklin County, Mo., February, 1917.

Good citizen, civic leader, respected and able lawyer with wide county practice. Elected prosecuting attorney of Dunklin County, 1922—held four successive terms. Served as Assistant Attorney General of Missouri.

Elected chairman County Committee, 1930.

Elected Judge of Circuit Court of 22nd Judicial circuit, 1932. Re-elected without opposition.

"Josh" is a real Missouri dirt farmer, a real untried Democrat, a man of high moral character. He holds a place of highest esteem in his community, his state and his profession.

His record as a circuit judge shows that the percentage of reversals on appeals is much better than that of his opponent while on the circuit bench.

His character and record commend him as your candidate for this office.

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Primarily, because of his wide experience, his record in office and his excellent legal standing, he is better fitted to sit in the state's highest tribunal and render decisions directly affecting the interests and lives of us all.

As a country lawyer and judge, he has always shown a fairness, understanding and friendship for all classes—the farmer, business and working man and the under privileged—as indicated in his famous opinion in 1933 that in the slump of land values, mortgage holders were not entitled to deficiency judgments and should share the loss with the farmers.

His character and record offer effective guarantee that his service as a Supreme Judge will meet with your approval.

At The Primaries August 2

Vote for [x] JAMES V. BILLINGS

Scratch JAMES M. DOUGLAS

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WPA 'KEY MEN' WORK FOR BILLINGS

An organization of so-called "key men" in the Works Progress Administration, which is headed by Matthew S. Murray of Kansas City, lieutenant of T. J. Pendergast, is active in behalf of the candidacy of Judge James V. Billings of Kennett for the Democratic nomination for Judge of the Supreme Court for the short term in opposition to Judge James M. Douglas of St. Louis, according to information now current in political circles.

These men do not appear on the pay rolls of the WPA and have no official standing, but it is common knowledge that they are the "unofficial" contact men and that they are frequently consulted on matters of patronage, the placing of WPA projects and other kindred matters and that their recommendations carry considerable weight with the WPA authorities in Jefferson City.

This system is said to have been put into effect shortly after the WPA was organized and that the "key men" were designated to handle the politics of the organization, in some cases replacing the local county committees, the usual patronage agent in the rural districts.

It is well known throughout Southeast Missouri, which is Judge Billings' home, that these men are working in behalf of his candidacy and that they form the backbone of the Pendergast organization in this section.

H. G. Simpson of Charleston, a member of the State Highway Commission through reappointment by Gov. Stark, formerly was the "key man" in Mississippi County, but was relieved of his duties when he announced for Judge Douglas.

John A. Ferguson of Cape Girardeau, a member of the Public Service Commission, formerly was the "key man" in Cape Girardeau, but since his appointment to the commission has been succeeded by J. B. Moore and Hugo Lang, who are working in Judge Billings' behalf.

Otto Schoen of Farnfeld is the "key man" in Scott County, and H. Clay Hunter, a New Madrid tavern keeper, occupies the position in New Madrid County.

Roy Harper, a Caruthersville lawyer, is "key man" in Pemiscot County. Harper is a former anti-Pendergast leader in his county, but is now a Billings supporter.

PEACHES FOR SALE

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PLAN T. B. CRUSADE IN MISSOURI HIGH SCHOOLS

To inform high school students as to how they may protect themselves from tuberculosis, the Missouri Tuberculosis Association is making plans to begin educational work in a number of Missouri high schools with the opening of the term in September.

High death rates from tuberculosis exist in the age group 15 to 25, the association has found. Special instruction will be given regarding the symptoms, methods of transmission and prevention of the disease.

A number of county tuberculosis organizations have applied to the Missouri Tuberculosis Association for the services of trained educational workers to conduct a campaign in the schools of those counties, according to Charles A. Freck, executive secretary.

Arrangements have been made in some high schools for an address before the assembly, while in others the worker will teach health and hygiene classes for several sessions. Appropriate literature will accompany these illustrated talks.

DINNER FOR FAMILY

A family dinner will be given at noon today (Friday) at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Barrett, on North Kingshighway. The guests will be, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tanner, Miss Myra Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. Randol Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilson, Mrs. Ted Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Marshall, of near Chaffee, and their daughters, Mrs. Marguerite Thornberry of Detroit, Mich., Miss Virginia Marshall of New York City, Miss Claude Welch and daughter, Miss Caroline, of Bradenton, Fla.

THE CHURCH OF GOD REFORMATION (Not Pentecostal)

The revival now going on at the Corner of Greer and Lion is getting along nicely. Rev. C. E. Cox of Paragould, Arkansas, is doing the preaching this week. The people of Sikeston are missing some very good things. We make a special appeal for all the churches to be well represented on Friday night. We would like to see the pastors of Sikeston to be present at that time. They have a cordial welcome. The service that night will have some special significance.

On next Sunday at 2:00 p. m. there will be a special musical program followed by a short sermon. Groups of singers from Sikeston and out of Sikeston will sing for an entire hour or more. The meetings will close on next Sunday night in favor of the Nazarene revival. A bigger program is being planned for September and October. Watch for announcements.

In Dunklin County, Judge Billings' own county, the "key man" is Carl Richmond.

In response to a demand from Gov. Stark, Works Progress Administrator Hopkins recently ordered a full investigation of the Governor's charges that the WPA is being used for political purposes in the Douglas-Billings race. The investigation is being conducted by Bruce Yuthus of the Chicago regional WPA office and is expected to be completed by July 29.

Gov. Stark charged, in a formal protest to Hopkins, that WPA foremen had instructed workers to support Judge Billings. Murray was recently summoned to Washington by Hopkins to confer about the Governor's charges.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Every year college deans pop the routine question to their under-graduates: "Why did you come to college?"

Last year one University of Arizona co-ed unexpectedly confided: "I came to be with—but I ain't yet!"

The SNAPSHOT GUILD



Long shadows, with the sun as a ready-made spotlight—and the potted flower is twice as interesting. Don't overlook the pattern in the floor grooves.

PATTERNS make fascinating pictures, and they are all around you—shadow patterns, ornamental ironwork, window grilles, railings, wheels, stacks of lumber, piles of drain tile—even groups of people in a formal arrangement.

Include a definite pattern in your pictures, and they will have an unusual, "different" quality.

When you go to the beach look for patterns in sand ripples and the shadows cast by beach grass. Climb a high bank or diving tower, and shoot down on your crowd when they are sunning themselves in a circle or formal arrangement like the spokes of a wheel which gives pattern interest to the picture.

Take pictures of scenes through things, such as ornamental ironwork. The outlines form patterns which make the scenes more interesting. Picture a tennis player through the net or racket—or let him hold the racket so that the sun casts an interesting cross-cross shadow pattern on his face.

Out in the country, try picturing scenes through wheels of farm equipment—for instance, "frame" a landscape through the tall wheel of a hay rake. The spokes and rim of the wheel give pattern interest. In town, picture shadow patterns on a brick sidewalk or street. The shadows give one kind of pattern interest, and the pattern of the paving adds another.

When a new house is going up—before the roof and weatherboarding are put on—there are pattern chances in the framing and roof timbers. Get inside, point the camera upward, and picture workmen on the roof. Look for pictures, too, in the steelwork of bridges and trestles, and in the criss-cross patterns of wires and cross-beams at the top of telephone poles.

It's fun to hunt patterns, and they add new interest to your pictures. Keep your eye open for them, and snap any that look good.

John van Guilder.

AUTO STOLEN MONTH AGO FOUND IN CITY

A 1936 Ford coach belonging to Rev. Ira D. Crutson of Cape Girardeau, stolen there on June 28, was found in Sikeston a few days short of a month later parked on the lot on North New Madrid beside the Kroger Store.

Carl Wallace, Kroger manager who noticed the car, notified the State Patrol, and the owner was learned in a check of the license plates. An insurance company was preparing to pay the claim on the car. The ignition had been left on and the battery was dead. Dust and rain through windows left open had damaged the upholstery.

ENTERTAIN GLEANER CLASS

Mrs. Walter M. Rayburn, Mrs. R. A. Harper and Mrs. Lynn Wagner entertained the members of the Gleaner Class of the Methodist Church with a lawn party at the home of Mrs. Wagner, Wednesday evening.

RETURNED TO HOME

Mrs. Ralph Tucker was returned Wednesday from St. Francis Hospital in Cape Girardeau, where she underwent an appendicitis operation, in the Dempster ambulance.

CAPE MAN ARRESTED ON HIT-RUN COUNT

The State Patrol here arrested Ernest Kirk at Cape Girardeau Tuesday for allegedly leaving the scene of an accident, which happened Sunday near Conran. It was charged Kirk's car rammed the rear of another on the highway, damaging the other car considerably, and that Kirk then drove away without stopping. The Patrol said he was trailed through his license number. He was booked at Marston.

RODEO FUNDS HELD UP UNTIL ALL BILLS ARE IN

The funds taken in at the Cowboy rodeo held here last weekend are being held in escrow by the sponsoring organizations, the Lions, American Legion and Fire Department, until all bills against the show are presented, according to Ralph Potashnick of the Lions Club. While a large attendance was reported, it will not be known until all the bills are presented if the organizations made a profit.

Deck: "Is your wife a very sensible person?"
Forre: "I'll say she is. She won't beat rugs or whip cream; tears come to her eyes when she skins onions, and she's too modest to watch the salad dressing."

Matthews News

The Stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Depro Friday and left a fine baby boy which has been named Larry Wesley.

Messrs. Dave Drake, Wm. Roberts, James Huls, Bill Depro and Web Sibley motored to Libbourn Friday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Connerly. She was the mother of Mr. D. A. Greene.

Marion Pfifer, who is employed in St. Louis is spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Pfifer.

Mr. Glen Ashworth of St. Louis arrived Saturday for a visit with his wife. Mr. Ashworth is employed in St. Louis.

Miss Bernice Godwin of Sikeston spent several days here visiting with friends.

Miss Selma Gruen of Canolou visited Mrs. Chas. Lumsden Monday.

Mrs. Britt McGee, daughter Miss Helen and Arlene and nephew Cleon Ball attended the show in New Madrid Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Coleman and daughter of Conroe, Texas and Mrs. Kate Lambert of Benton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spalding and family Friday.

Miss Kathleen Spalding went to Hayti Sunday afternoon to spend a few days with friends.

Mrs. Tom Kimes of Marston visited relatives here last week.

A large number from here motored to Sikeston Tuesday evening to the "Billings Rally."

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mize and little son Claude Alvin of Parma visited in Matthews last week.

Mrs. Holly Warren and son Tollie of Rector, Ark., spent the week end here with relatives.

Mrs. J. P. Rice and little son Joe Perry of Chaffee and Mrs. Amos Buchanan of Sikeston visited in Matthews Monday.

Pleasant Valley News

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller had as their guests Sunday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chambers and daughter, Inez, and Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen.

Rev. and Mrs. Corbin of Cape Girardeau visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Inman Sunday. Rev. Corbin preached at the church Sunday morning and night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Allen and family had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hartle and son, Truman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stanfill of Hartzell visited relatives in this community from Wednesday until Monday.

A large delegation from this Sunday School attended the Sunday School Convention at Little Vine last Thursday and Friday.

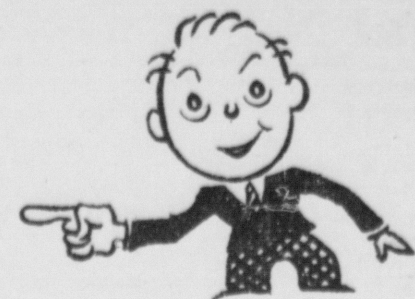
Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wheatley gave a dinner Sunday in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Loyd Stanfill's birth anniversary. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stanfill, Misses Lillie Allen and Vera Shelton and Gale Allen, G. W. Taylor and Earl Stanfill.

A large number of people from this community attended church at New Harmony last Wednesday night.

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SCOTT COUNTY

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Re-Nominate White Tuesday



NEW MADRID COUNTY FOUR-H CLUB ROUND-UP

The annual 4-H Club Round-Up for New Madrid county will be held at the New Madrid High School Auditorium on Friday, August 5, beginning at 2:00 p. m. The program will consist of group singing, better grooming contest, special music numbers, demonstrations, folk games.

At 5:00 we will adjourn to the lawn where we will eat lunch and play games. At 7:00 we will re-

assemble in the auditorium for the style revue, after which we will have candle lighting services on the lawn.

The club members who will represent New Madrid County at State Round-Up at Columbia will

be selected. Come and bring your lunch. Everybody is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Phillips left Friday for a tour of Yellowstone Park and other points in the west.

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Red or White JAR RINGS, 3 pkgs. 10c	Good Quality TUNA FLAKES, Tin. 10c
Mason JAR CAPS, Pkg. of Doz. 19c	Sliced Pineapple Del Monte, No. 1, 2 cans. 19c
You'll Need CERTO, Bottle 19c	Iona Brand CORN, No. 2 can, 4 cans. 25c
Queen Anne FECTIN, Pkg. 10c	Keokuk Dill or Sour PICKLES, Qt. Jar 15c
Facial Soap WOODBURY'S, 3 Cakes 25c	Bond Sweet Midget Cherkin PICKLES, 16-oz. Jar 19c
Toilet Tissue Northern, 3 rolls 17c	Sunnyfield CORN FLAKES, 3 lge. pkgs 25c
KITCHEN KLEANZER, can 5c	Bleaches & Cleaners CLOROX, Pt. Bottle 14c
Iona Brand 2 1/2 lb. 48 lb.	Qt. Bottle 23c
FLOUR Sack 59c Sack \$1.17	Happy Time Dutch Tomato SAUCE, 10-oz. Bottle 15c
White House EVAP. MILK, Tall, 4 cans 25c	Super Bkt Sod CRACKERS, 2 lb. pkg. 15c
Yukon Club BEVERAGES, 24-oz. 3 Btts. 25c	Ann Page Dessert SPARKLE, 3 Pkgs. 10c
Plus Deposit	Iona Juice of TOMATOES, 50-oz. Can 15c
SPANISH SALT PEANUTS, lb. 10c	Texas Juice of GRAPEFRUIT, 46-oz. Can 19c
Super Creamed CRISCO, pound, 3 can 49c	
RAJHA CIDAR OR WHITE VINEGAR, Quart Bottle 10c	
BULK VINEGAR, Gallon 19c	
GOLDEN BANTUM OR WHITE A. & P. CORN, 3 No. 2 cans 25c	
Metal Polisher BRILLO, 2 small Pkgs. 17c	C. & H. or Domino Cane SUGAR, 10 lb. Bag. 52c
Iona Queen OLIVES, Qt. Jar 29c	C. & H. or Domino Cane SUGAR, 25-lb. Bag. \$1.29
A. & P. Small Stuffed OLIVES, 2-oz. Jar 10c	For Icing Our Own TEA, 1/2-lb. Pkg. 25c
Ann Page Fruit PRESERVES, lb. Jar 19c	Iona Tomato Sauce PORK & BEANS, 16-oz., 5 cans 25c
Ann Page Salad DRESSING, Qt. Jar 29c	Ann Page Tomato Sauce PORK & BEANS, 23-oz., 3 cans 27c
Cold Stream Pink SALMON, 2 Tall Cans 25c	Iona Brand PEAS, 3 No. 2 cans 25c
A Fine Value AJAX SOAP, 7 giant Bars 25c	
White Linen SOAP CHIPS, 5-lb. Pkg. 29c	

Fresh Corn, Extra Large Ears, 2 doz. 25c
Head Lettuce, Fancy Quality, each 5c
Peaches, Blu \$1.25, 7 pounds 25c

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We have sold our Good Store, known for many years as the Red & White Store. It is now under the management of Jeff Sutton, who will handle the same High-Grade Merchandise, and he solicits your trade.

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\$8.75 values, Now	\$5.98

SILK LINENS, LINENS AND COTTONS

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\$3.98 values, Now	\$2.98
\$2.98 values, Now	\$1.98
\$1.98 values, Now	\$1.35

HATS

Straws and Summer Felts. Entire Stock Reduced

\$5.00 and \$6.00 values at	\$2.00
\$3.00 values at	\$1.00

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Personal News of Sikeston

Mrs. Ed Kendall, Reporter, Phones 761w and 137

Mrs. D. A. Reese is visiting in Cairo, Ill. this week.
Miss Hontas Lee, Miss Marie Marshall, Leo Schade of Jackson and Phillip Caveno, spent Sunday at Keener Cave.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayden, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayden Jr., and son were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rein in East Prairie. The occasion was the birthdays to J. H. Hayden Jr. and his sister, Mrs. Rein.

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WANTED—A place in some home or a 16-year-old white girl. Apply at 323 North St. tf-87
FOR RENT—3 modern unfurnished rooms, private entrance. Phone 38. tf-87
WANTED—A place to work, White 16-years old. —Martha Hall, Matthews, Mo., or 415 West Gladys, Sikeston.

FOR SALE—2 Spitz pups. Call 238. tf-87
FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms, modern, private entrance. 214 Dorothy. Phone 565. tf-87
FOR RENT—Modern furnished apartment. Phone 404. tf-87
FOR RENT—Bedroom with kitchenette. Mrs. Neal Kornegger, 411 Prosperity. 2t-87p
PEACHES—Elbertas and other varieties now ripe. Priced to sell. Covington Orchard, Dexter, Mo.
FOR SALE—One four-room heating circulator, like new; one Florence kitchen range, used two years. Priced right. Phone 565. 20 Vernon Ave. tf

FOR RENT—Sleeping rooms in modern home. Two occupants referred to a room. Mrs. S. M. Valden, 515 Kathleen Ave. Phone 78. tf-87p
FOR SALE—Early Elberta peaches. Price 50c to \$1.25 per bu. Phone 638 or 2321. John J. Reiss. tf-86
FOR SALE—Clean stock general merchandise, about \$2500. Sell or lease building cheap. Also modern two story brick dwelling at great sacrifice. A. C. Willis, Whiteater, Mo.

FOR SALE—Dry Oak and Pine building material, 12 miles west Poplar Bluff, on Highway 60. James Fudge. 4t-84p
FOR RENT—Apartment. Large, dry rooms, shady lawn, modern conveniences, hot water furnished. Phone 58. tf-78

FOR RENT—Bedroom, modern, rose in. Private 305 North Ranney. t-82
FOR RENT—3 modern furnished rooms, 830 E. Linn, 1 block east of Highway 61. Phone 287-W or 775. tf-83

FOR SALE—Laundry stove. 406 W. Gladys. tf-84
FOR SALE—Polled Hereford bull. A thick, blocky, low set, double Standard bull. Weight 340 lbs. Age 3½ years. Also two earling Hereford Bulls. All registered. Ralph Hubbard, Libbourn, Mo. 82-84-86-88-90p

WANTED—Family washings. New washer. 307 Matthews Ave. 2t-86
FOR SALE—Detroit Automatic Counter Scale. Good condition. Sanitary Barber Shop. tf-86
FOR RENT—Bedroom on first floor with or without meals. 315 Harris Ave., 1 block north of post office. Phone 516. 3t-86

FOR RENT—Modern furnished house, modern unfurnished house and modern apartment. T. A. Mack. 1t-86

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See our Bargains in used tires.
Battery and Electric Sets, \$2.00 up
About 25 on hand
Used Tires 25c up
About 50 on hand.
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Sikeston, Mo.

dren who returned to Sikeston that evening.

Mrs. J. E. Snodgrass and daughter, Carol Sue, of St. James, Mo. arrived Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Watts. Visit the Dexter swimming pool. Use our big shady picnicking grounds.

Loomis Mayfield, Murray Klein and E. L. Tongate drove to Lake Taneycomo, Saturday and spent the week end with their families who returned home Monday night with them.

Mrs. P. D. Malone is acting as office assistant to Dr. T. C. McClure in the absence of Mrs. Ruth Malone, who is in Rochester, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wagner and children spent Sunday at Glen Allen with the former's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Wagner.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kuchel had as house guests from Monday until Wednesday afternoon, the latter's cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Winkler and baby of St. Louis.

Frank Sibley Jr. and his father Frank Sibley of Matthews left Thursday morning to spend the week end in Jefferson City with the latter's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke A. Weeks of Springfield, Mo., were overnight guests Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buchanan at the home of C. C. Buchanan on South Kingshighway.

Mrs. P. A. McDougal and son Dick, and Mrs. Lyman Gross and son Harry Phillip, went to Big Spring Wednesday to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Allen returned last Thursday from St. Joseph, Mo. where they had gone to attend the funeral of a friend, Joe Allen of St. Joseph accompanied them home and is their guests this week.

Mary Ann Frewer returned home Monday from Jefferson City where she was the guest of Mrs. Margaret Black for a week.

Mrs. R. C. Finley is spending several days in Bertrand with her

sister, Mrs. J. O. Beabout who is ill.

W. S. Baker left Monday on a business trip to Indianapolis, Ind. Mrs. Irma Allen and son Joe, went to St. Louis Tuesday to spend several days.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Young visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Penny, in Poplar Bluff, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Sharp returned Monday after spending several days with the former's mother, Mrs. D. G. Sharp at Findlay, Ohio, and two days at Lake Erie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Rayburn motored to St. Louis Sunday morning and accompanied home their daughter Miss Colleen, who had been the guest of relatives for three weeks. Miss Doris Fry accompanied Miss Colleen home for a visit.

Mrs. J. R. Trousdale and daughter Mary Helen, returned Tuesday from Oklahoma City where they had visited relatives for several weeks.

Lee Hunter and sons Lee Jr. and Joe, of St. Louis spent the week in Sikeston and New Madrid attending to business matters.

Mrs. P. D. Malone returned Friday from Iron Mountain Lake where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Graber and children, Lorraine and Merlin, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Cohen and son Byron, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Topper and son of Hayti, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Kahn of Hayti and Mr. and Mrs. Crowell and son of Caruthersville, spent Sunday at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Scott, Mrs. Jewell Gentles and daughter Patsy Ruth, and Mrs. O. V. Hilpert of Cape Girardeau, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Harris in Portageville, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Baere Phillipson of South Bend, Ind., Miss Esther Lemons of Cape Girardeau and Miss Nelda Snider of Poplar Bluff, were guests of Mrs. Frank Alexiou, Tuesday.

Bill Isom of Lutesville was the guest of his niece, Mrs. E. G. Buchanan, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Davey, daughter Miss Ellen, and Miss Lucille Hahs, spent Sunday at Reelfoot Lake, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Welsh will have as guests Sunday, the latter's cousin, Dr. A. H. Horne and Mrs. Horne, of Steelville and St. Louis.

Harvey Johnson transacted professional business in Oran, Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. John Taylor left Sunday for Bokoshe, Okla. to be at the bedside of the former's mother, who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. U. T. Rabb and two sons are visiting relatives in St. James, Mo. They expect to return home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sikes and daughter, Miss Mary Jane, are spending several days in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Sexton and two children of Chicago, are visiting the former's brother, Les Sexton and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Keith and Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Weideman returned Monday from Washington, and French Lick Springs, Ind. where they visited relatives for ten days. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Keith and Miss Helen Virginia Keith remained several days longer and returned home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Webb are receiving congratulations on the birth of a 7½ pound son, William Francis, Wednesday morning at their home on Gladys Avenue.

Mrs. Herbert Fox returned Tuesday from Poplar Bluff where she had been with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Phelps, who recently sustained an operation in Brandon Hospital there.

Mrs. Forrest Young is convalescing after an operation performed in St. Francis Hospital at Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. C. D. Matthews Jr., Mrs. H. L. Hart and daughter Miss Eleanor, were in Memphis, Tenn., Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Johnson of St. Louis is visiting her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Ferrell this week.

Miss Alice Haneline of Bowling Green, Ky., Miss Edith Robson of Dyersburg, Tenn., arrived Thursday to spend the week end with Miss Ellen Davey. Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Davey, Miss Ellen Davey and her guests will attend a performance of the Municipal Opera in St. Louis Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bauer of St. Louis, the latter's mother, Mrs. Mollie Farmer, and Mrs. Lillian Rice, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Pinnell Sr., Wednesday night. Mrs. Bauer will be remembered as the former Miss Illa Farmer.

Dr. and Mrs. Howard A. Dunaway have as their guests this week, the latter's brother, Edgar Saville of Louis, Kansas, sister, Mrs. A. L. Underhill of Pine Bluff, Ark., and brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Saville and family of Pontiac, Mich.

Miss Ruth Lee Brown of East St. Louis is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Sorrells. Miss Brown was studio accompanist of Mr. Sorrells at his former studio in St. Louis

Mrs. Lon Nall's sister passes away at Conran

H. M. Zaricor's brother succumbs at St. Louis

First Baptist Church

Discuss details of auxiliary convention

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Landers Ridge News

Joe Lowe of Morehouse spent the week end with Geo. T. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heuser and children are visiting relatives in Tennessee this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Moore and children visited in St. Louis from Wednesday until Saturday.

Rev. Homer Gunn of Kewanee filled his regular appointment at the local church Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Foster were Sunday guests of Miss Zelma Kem.

A two weeks revival to be conducted by Rev. E. W. Milner of Sikeston will begin Sunday, Aug. 14 at the local church. Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.

Mrs. Otto Carvet and baby and Talmadge Byce of St. Louis spent the week end here visiting friends and relatives.

Misses Lessie Baker and Evelyn Porter spent Thursday near Bertrand with the latter's sister, Mrs. Clyde Hostler and family.

Lois Johnson was the Sunday guest of Louise Kem.

Mrs. Charles Crosno was brought to her home here Tuesday from a Poplar Bluff Hospital where she had been the past two weeks. We are glad to report that she is convalescing at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Stafford and children spent Sunday near Parma with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Adecock and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fletcher and daughter entertained members of the Landers Ridge Sunday School and Church with a buffet luncheon and goat barbecue at their home near Libbourn Tuesday.

Carl Rhodes returned to his home in Kewanee Sunday after having spent the past week with his cousin, Verlin Lomax.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Townsend and family will leave Thursday for Springfield, Mo., to attend the Fourth Annual Scoville Reunion to be held there on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Scoville. The following week they will visit with Mr. and Mrs. Abbott Townsend and family at West Plains, Mo., and with relatives at Rolla. They will return home on Friday.

Mrs. Stuart and daughters will return home next week after having spent the past three weeks visiting friends and relatives in Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Porter of Chaffee spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Willie Porter.

Morehouse News

Mr. and Mrs. John Bates of New Madrid were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dillon and were accompanied home by their mother Mrs. Minnie Hall who had been visiting her daughter Mrs. Dillon and family.

Dorsey Brown was a business visitor in Benton Monday.

Rev. W. A. Fulbright who was formerly pastor of Methodist here, and his family called on friends here Monday as they were enroute to Kennett.

Mrs. Lee Williams, Mrs. Lee A. Williams and Miss Mable Williams of Dexter were guests of Mrs. Julia A. Slayden Thursday.

Dan Mocabee, E. O. Fisher, Roger Fisher and Frank Parish left Friday on a two weeks vacation in Pine Ridge, Oregon where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mocabee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mocabee and boys and Jack Parish, also visit other points in the west. Frank Parrish expects to stay for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hutson and Thos. Atkinson are spending a two weeks vacation in points in Tennessee.

Lessie Newton last week purchased the filling station stock belonging to Walter Comes and is now operating the Mobil Gas station on the highway near R. R. crossing.

The cooperative church, temperance service was largely attended.

Miss Reginald Todd of Morley spent Sunday with Mrs. George Hemling.

Mrs. Dena Willis entertained with a party Thursday evening for her son, Travis, who celebrated his birth anniversary.

Miss Clodine Mathis was the Sunday guest of Miss Ruth Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Welch and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Foster and Mr. and Mrs. W. Foster and sons are visiting relatives in Arkansas.

Mrs. Paul Russell and little daughter spent Monday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ogle. Mr. and Mrs. Nunlee of Arkansas are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Russell and little daughter.

Willie and Elmer Green and Clarence Paterson have returned to their home here after a week's tour through Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence reutred to their home in Detroit, Mich. Saturday after spending the past week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo, Lawrence and children.

UNUSUAL FACTS REVEALED

GEORGE McKAY

EARNED HIS FIRST MONEY AT THE AGE OF EIGHT RIDING A HORSE IN HIS FATHER'S CIRCUS.

ANN DORAN'S FIRST AMBITION WAS TO BECOME A CONCERT VIOLINIST

JACQUELINE WELLS PAINTS CHINA AND GLASS IN HER LEISURE TIME. SHE FIRES THE PIECES HERSELF IN A SMALL BACKYARD KILN

ROBERT PAIGE LOST A LOT OF WEIGHT DURING A STRENUOUS SEQUENCE IN "HIGHWAY PATROL"

FOUR AUTOS, SIX MOTORCYCLES AND TWO HUGE GASOLINE TRUCKS WERE WRECKED IN EXCITING CHASE SCENES IN THE COLUMBIA PICTURE.

MISS LA VERNE DAUME OF ST. LOUIS IS VISITING HER GRANDMOTHER MRS. IDA DIELINGHAM.

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Primary Election
Tuesday, August 2, 1938

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1. Your vote for Douglas is necessary to prevent political control of the Missouri Supreme Court. The independence of the highest tribunal in our State must be maintained.

2. Judge James M. Douglas has proved his ability, integrity, fairness, and FREEDOM FROM POLITICAL DOMINATION in the very office he seeks and now occupies. His record and qualifications are well-known — there is no need to experiment. His eminent fitness for the office has never been challenged.

3. Approximately 2,000 of the outstanding lawyers of the State have commended his record as a Circuit Judge and as Judge of the Supreme Court and have urged his nomination. The St. Louis Bar Association, by a vote of 639 to 28, and the Lawyers Association of Kansas City, by a vote of 198 to 16 have endorsed him.

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Judge James M. Douglas

4. His name on the ballot at the General Election in November will bring strength, credit and respect to the Democratic ticket.

5. His deep sense of public responsibility is further indicated by his record as a soldier — "buck" private on the Mexican border in 1916; lieutenant of the gallant 342nd. Field Artillery, 89th. Division, in France during the World War.

6. Judge Douglas is the only member of the Supreme Court from the City of St. Louis, while two Commissioners of the Court are from southeast Missouri. St. Louis represents almost one-third of the entire population of Missouri and 40% of the litigation reaching the Supreme Court comes from that city. In all fairness, St. Louis deserves ONE member of the Supreme Court.

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"If I should be honored again by the people of Missouri I will regard it as the greatest compliment ever paid me."

On His Record---Missouri and the Nation Needs Him

[This advertisement contributed by Scott County Friends of Bennett Clark.]

BIG COPPERHEAD SNAKE KILLED BEHIND HOME

A negro tenant living at the rear of the Marion Jewell home on William Street killed a copperhead snake three and a half feet long Monday morning. It was in the chicken yard but had not molested any chickens. Several days before the negroes told of seeing a black snake "long as a hoe handle," and a sharp watch resulted in the slaying of the copperhead. Now the folks are not sure whether to relax or watch for the blacksnake.

The wife of the sailor handed the pastor of her church the following note: "Peter Bowers, having gone to sea, his wife desires the prayers of the congregation for his safety."

"The minister glanced over it hurriedly and announced: "Peter Bowers, having gone to see his wife, desires the prayers of the congregation for his safety."



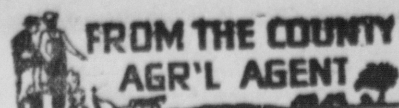
"IT IS EASY to order our service. Simply say to any telephone man or woman 'I want a telephone.'"

"Or call our business office, and there is your order started on its speedy way.

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SOME SCOTT COUNTY FARM BUREAU NEWS

Should Treat Pigs For Stomach Worms

Pigs being raised in permanent hog lots and pastures, at this time of year become heavily infested with worms. These worms grow and become more numerous in warm weather, when conditions are favorable for their growth. The most satisfactory way to avoid loss from worms is to raise the pigs on ground that has not pastured hogs in the past two years. When it is impossible to raise hogs on clean ground they should be treated for worms.

A treatment recommended by the Missouri College of Agriculture is Oil of Wormseed. One part of oil of wormseed is mixed with eight parts by weight of castor oil. This mixture is given at the rate of one-half ounce, or 1 tablespoonful for each 50 pound pig.

Prepare the animals for treatment by fasting 12 to 24 hours. The medicine may be given with a tablespoon and jaw spreader or a dose syringe. The animals should not be allowed anything to eat for 3 or 4 hours after treating.

Treating Chickens For Lice and Mites

At this time of the year external parasites, such as lice and mites, do the greatest damage to the flock, says Assistant County Agent Edward Dickerson.

The control measures for riding these insects is simple and easy. As a rule every flock should be treated for lice once or more often during the summer months. In controlling these insects the poultry houses must be kept clean and sanitary. Treatment in warm weather consists of dipping chickens in a solution composed of one ounce of commercial sodium fluoride to each gallon of lukewarm water. One pound of commercial sodium fluoride will dip 300 birds. The wings of the bird should be held in one hand and the bird submerged in the solution. Use the other hand to ruffle feathers and finally place hand over beak and submerge head of bird. Black Leaf 40 may be used but is less effective.

Mites may be expected about the roosts, dropping boards, and nests during warm weather. They are small and frequently do a great deal of harm before they are observed. They attack the birds at night while they are in the roosts and remain in their hiding places during the day.

Control measures consists of cleaning the poultry house thoroughly and painting or spraying thoroughly all equipment in the house with a mixture of equal parts of kerosene and crank case oil. This treatment should be repeated after one week. Dropping platforms and roosts should be kept oiled.

Should Use a Purebred Ram of Good Type

Scott County sheep growers should keep in mind that it will cost them \$50.00 to \$60.00 each year to have a grade ram sire 30 lambs instead of using a good registered ram says County Agent Veatch. These figures are the result of experimental work and farmers figures in comparing lambs out of similar ewes handled together with the only difference being the sire. On this basis there isn't a sheep producer in Scott County who wishes to reduce his cost of production that can afford to have his 1933 lamb crop sired by a grade ram.

Many farmers with 10-20 ewes reduce the first cost of a good ram by purchasing a ram in partnership with some other man with a small flock.

The average period of usefulness for ram is 4 years, which makes the cost per year small when compared to the increased value added to the lambs.

A purebred ram sale is being held in this district in cooperation with breeders and the Extension Service of the Missouri College of Agriculture. This sale is to be held at Fredericktown Saturday, July 30, beginning at 1:00 o'clock. At this sale 15 Shropshire and 25 Hampshire yearling rams will be sold. All rams are registered and have been inspected by representatives of the Missouri College of Agriculture.

4-H Club Camp

Fifteen 4-H club members left Monday for a 3 day camp which is held at the Methodist Assembly ground at Arcadia. The following members attended:

Bill McMullin, Gene McMullin, Earl McMullin, A. E. McMullin, Pauline Elliott, John Hahn, Odell Mayfield, Billy Lewis, Harold Crenshaw, Edwina Denton, Lee Oscar Matthews, James Tanner, Arlean Hinton, Alfred Darter, and

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Richard Lee Heath. The leaders that accompanied the members were Ruby King, and Oscar Gasser.

The three day camp is held in recognition of good work done by each in their respective club. Each day will be filled with work and play. The forenoon will be devoted to soil testing and soil conservation for the boys and picture painting for the girls.

The afternoons will be devoted to a trip to Pilot Knob for part and ball games, tennis, etc. for the rest. Swimming is also a favorite sport.

Frank B. Veatch, Scott County agent is camp director, J. C. Caldwell, Madison County Agent is assistant director. Approximately 200 boys and girls are attending the camp. The group left Monday and are expected back Thursday.

Wheat Insurance

Representatives are working in Scott County, explaining the features of the Wheat Insurance Program. Raymond L. Galemore, heads the group in Scott County and other representatives are G. Louis Albrecht, Vernon Buck, H. E. Poorman, Hyatt Harris, C. N. Mayfield, Fred Dunney, Joe Strickler, F. V. Klueppel, and Edmund Burke.

These men will call on wheat growers and explain the insurance program. Applications for the insurance can be made with them.

This insurance covers all unavoidable natural hazards, such as flood, drought, hail, winter killing, insect pests, plant diseases, etc. It does not cover poor farming practices and poor seed.

Wheat insurance tends to stabilize farm credit by guaranteeing at least 75% of average production; stabilizes farm prices by providing a definite minimum production in lean years. This also protects the consumer.

Premium rates are based on individual farms. The yield on each farm is considered. The rates are paid on the basis of a certain number of bushels of wheat or the equivalent thereof. Since rates are based on individual farms, it is almost impossible to give rates while on the farm. Applications may be made without any obligations. A premium notice will be sent to applicant. He will have an opportunity to accept or reject at that time.



CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this method to thank our many friends, neighbors and relatives for the kindness and sympathy shown us following the sudden death of our beloved son and brother Gerald Russell. We

are also grateful to those who sent floral offerings and furnished cars. Such kindness will never be forgotten—Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Russell and family.

EX-MISSOURIAN DIES
Jonesboro, Ark., July 24.—F. M.

Norman, 68, former Missouri state legislator, died in a Memphis, Tenn., hospital today following an operation.

Norman, who had been in the monument business here for 20 years, came here from Dexter, Mo., where he served three terms

ABOUT ALL IN!

Law Pitches 10-0 Shutout Over Hollingsworth Team

Jimmy Law with his two-hit pitching and his Highway crew served notice that the Road Makers are still the boys at the throttle in the American League by covering Hollingsworth with a 10-0 shutout Monday night.

It was the first shutout of the season in the American League and the second this year in the city big leagues—the National Guard took Potashnick, 7-0, more than a month ago.

Highway made good 11 drives for safeties in gathering its 10 scores. Twice Law got into a hole but each time he bore down and no one came in. In the fifth inning three walks helped load the bases. Men were stranded this time, however, as they were in the sixth after two hits and a base on balls filled the sacks.

Potashnick stayed at the top of the National League in defeating the Odd Fellows, 14-8, although outhit 12 to eight. The Truckers used their hits when they were needed most, and six walks and seven errors also did their part. Acord and Daugherty socked home runs, and Foster got a triple.

Hollingsworth	AB	R	H	E
V. Jones, 3b.	2	0	1	2
Rogers, lf.	3	0	1	0
Enson, c.	3	0	0	1
Capps, 1b.	2	0	0	1
Watkins, ss.	3	0	0	0
Wagner, ss.	2	0	0	0
Rayburn, 2b.	3	0	0	2
Dempster, p.	2	0	0	0
Hopper, rf.	2	0	0	0
V. Kirby, cf.	2	0	0	0
	24	0	2	6

Highway	AB	R	H	E
H. Bandy, ss.	4	2	2	0
Law, p.	2	2	1	0
Bruce, lf.	4	1	1	0
Dace, 3b.	3	2	1	1
Tandy, 2b.	4	1	2	0
Kuehnle, c.	4	0	2	0
Weeks, rf.	3	0	0	0
Hale, cf.	2	1	1	0
Geehan, ss.	3	0	0	0

Mathis, 1b.	3	1	1	1
	32	10	11	2
Hollingsworth	000	000	0	0
Highway	340	012	x	10

Potashnick	AB	R	H	E
F. Kindred, 2b.	4	2	1	0
Sells, 1b.	3	0	0	0
Simpson, 3b.	4	1	1	2
Stacy, lf.	4	1	1	1
Acord, c.	4	2	1	2
Bartlett, cf.	4	2	1	0
Clippard, ss.	4	1	1	1
Ellise, ss.	3	0	0	0
Durham, rf.	4	2	1	0
Mow, ss.	1	1	1	0
Moser, p.	0	2	0	0
	35	14	8	6

Odd Fellows	AB	R	H	E
Daugherty, ss.	4	1	1	1
Dickerson, cf.	3	0	1	0
Young, c.	4	1	2	0
Hampton, rf.	4	1	0	0
Beal, 1b.	4	1	2	3
Chaney, 3b.	3	1	1	2
Nichols, p. cf.	4	1	2	0
Mize, ss.	4	2	2	0
Foster, lf.	3	0	1	0
Johnson, 2b.	2	0	0	1
	35	8	12	7

Potashnick	002	162	3	14
Odd Fellows	042	200	0	8

WED AT PARSONAGE

Homer Zoph and Miss Juanita Hutchason of Skeston were married in the Nazarene parsonage by Rev. C. F. Transue Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

DENIES SPEED RATE

Tom Allison of this city reports he was not traveling 85 miles an hour when his automobile and that of Herbert Kays collided last week south of town. This speed was given in the Standard because the State Patrol records show it as such.

He: "Sweetheart, you grow more beautiful every day."
She: "Oh, honey, you do exaggerate."
He: "Well, then, every other day."

STORK COLD SHOULDER WITH SKUNK DELT.

Philadelphia, July 25.—The stork was given the cold shoulder at the Philadelphia Zoo—he delivered seven baby skunks. Hyacinth, the mother, and Sachet, the father, strutted with pride.

"Hello, is this the Fidelity Insurance Company?"
"Yes, madam."
"Well, I want to arrange have my husband's fidelity insured."



VOTE FOR A WINNER

TOM SCOTT

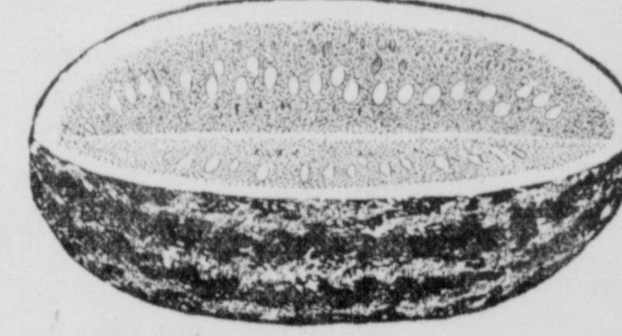
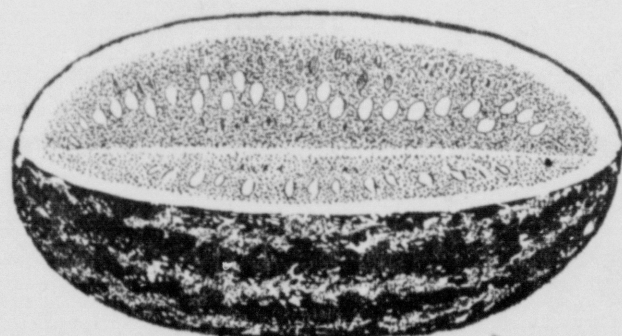
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will show his appreciation in honest, fearless service.

Wesco Cash Market

for Southeast Missouri WATERMELONS



CASH MARKETS for handling Southeast Missouri Melons will be operated this year by Wesco Foods Company at Bertrand, Charleston, two at Skeston and one at McMullin. Cash markets operated here for the first time last season resulted in better returns to the growers.

Terminal markets receiving graded melons, uniformly sized, were **HIGHLY PLEASED** with the quality of the Missouri Melon. That means good will was built up on this commodity—and that means greater benefit to growers this season and years to come.

THE CONTINUED CO-OPERATION OF GROWERS IN THIS DISTRICT IS SOLICITED TO PROVIDE A CASH MARKET FOR THE ENTIRE CROP OF WATERMELONS.

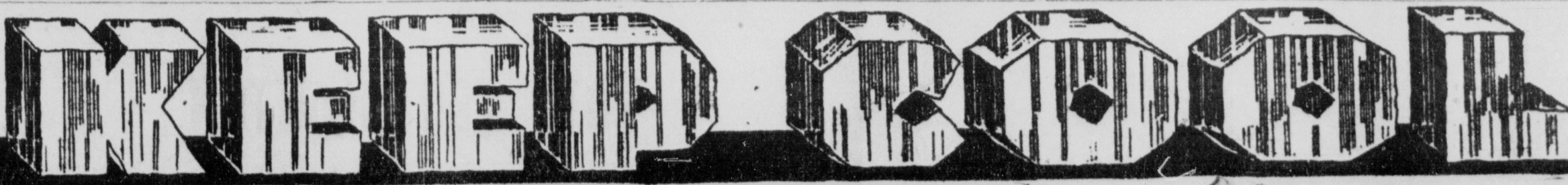
This year we will purchase a reasonable amount of cull melons hauled in with first grade melons. The culls will be separated from graded melons. Culls must not be cut green or be over-ripe in order to carry satisfactorily by rail. These melons will go to smaller markets where the purchasing power is not in line with larger markets.

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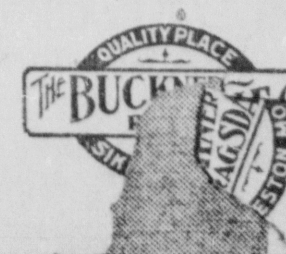
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Wesco Company to Operate Cash Market

Letter to growers of watermelons in the Charleston-Sikeston district this week stated that the Wesco Company will again operate cash markets in this territory.

Martin, general manager, the letters to growers which follow:

It is to advise you that we will operate a cash market in Sikeston, Bertrand and Sikeston, Missouri for the purchasing and distribution of Missouri watermelons.

We will recall that we operated a track market last year and we only purchased the melons, paying the weight of the melons. We then graded the melons in the cars, shipping uniform sizes to larger markets where they met with acceptance due to the size, quality and grade.

Year, as you know, was a time that melons were in this manner and ungraded melons shipped from Missouri. It was our first year of doing in this manner and we made several mistakes which caused some slight action to a few growers. We feel confident this year we can eliminate these and handle the deal in a way to be satisfactory to the growers in your section. We are in position to pay you the best cash prices for each melon, depending upon quality and condition of the same. We expect to purchase the cull melons from you in addition to the number-one melons which you bring in in the same load. We will grade the cull melons into what we term cull cars and ship them to smaller markets in order to give you an outlet for all melons brought in, with the exception of any over-ripe or melons cutting green.

The cash track method of operating will give you an opportunity to know exactly from day to day what your melons are worth. Prices will be posted at prominent points daily. Under this method you will not be called upon to load an entire car of melons and be in the dark as to the value of your melons until the car has been loaded and sold.

If you could arrange to partially grade your melons in the field before loading and load them on your truck as near to even sizes and weights as possible, instead of piling them all together—also if you could partially separate your culls from number-one melons, it would be a considerable help not only to ourselves but it would enable much quicker unloading and handling of the melons when they arrive at the track loading point.

We will have representatives on the ground within the very near future, the same men as we had last year, and they will be glad to answer any questions or furnish you with any information desired. You will find them at the local hotels in both Sikeston and Charleston.

Yours very truly,
WESCO FOODS COMPANY,
J. A. Martin, General Mgr.

LOCALS

Clarence Twitty was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Scofield in Charleston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Hardin and Mrs. Florence Hardin visited in Booneville, Mo., over the week end.

Lee Hunter, of St. Louis, was in Sikeston Wednesday forenoon after business interests.

Hazel Dillard, stenographer at the Sikeston office here in Sikeston has been assigned to the engineers' office at Cape Girardeau.

Mrs. C. L. Malone and Mrs. Mary Johnson met Mrs. Warren W. Worton, Department President of the American Legion Auxiliary, in Cape Girardeau Monday.



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SPECIAL LUNCHEON SUGGESTION

Next time you want to serve a special luncheon on a minimum of effort, try making out the menu on a three-point pattern planned around soup. Not the kind of soup you have to stir up for yourself, but the real home-style soups that come all done up in tins ready to open, heat and eat. They're guaranteed time and trouble savers for quick, substantial menus. Say you start this meal with a big steaming bowl of Vegetable Soup, then serve a hefty mixed meat salad and finish off with fresh fruit and coffee. That way you can manage the whole meal in just a matter of minutes. And all you'll have to do is heat the soup, put on a pot of coffee, arrange a platter of fruits and prepare this simple salad:

Boil or bake—
1½ lbs. lean pork shoulder
1½ lbs. lean veal shoulder.
Season meat when about tender with—
2 teaspoonfuls salt
dash of pepper.
Cool. Remove meat from bone, then cut into dice.

Mix—
½ cupfuls diced meat
½ cupfuls stuffed Spanish olives
½ cupfuls chopped celery
½ teaspoonful salt
dash of pepper
½ cupful chopped salted nuts
½ cupful Mayonnaise.
Chill and serve in crisp lettuce cups. Garnish with Mayonnaise and parsley.



THREE-STAR MENU

For another quick-as-a-wink luncheon menu built about soup, try this sure-fire triad: a cup of ready-to-serve Cream of Tomato Soup, a hearty SANDWICH SPREAD AND EGG SANDWICH.

DEXTER GIRLS WIN
Sikeston High School girls, playing at Dexter Tuesday night, lost a close 8-5 game. They were opposed by an all-star team of that city.

"I Lived With Gorillas" by Jean DuBerrie. One of the Many Interesting Features in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed With Next Sunday's Chicago Herald and Examiner.

CHARLESTON MAN'S HAND IS AMPUTATED

Fred Melton suffered such serious injury to one hand while he was working at the McBride Co-operative Co., at Charleston, Mo., today, that his hand had to be amputated at St. Mary's hospital where he was brought here today immediately after the accident. Cairo Citizen.

New Madrid CCC Camp Happenings

The supervisory personnel of the New Madrid CCC Drainage Camp helped Superintendent and Mrs. Fred R. Jacoby celebrate their silver wedding anniversary last Thursday evening, July 21, with a picnic and swimming party at the western end of the Wash-out, north of Lilbourn. Mr. and Mrs. Jacoby were married on July 21, 1913, at Wells, Nevada. Two of their daughters were among those present, the third, Betty Maud, being detained in St. Charles, Mo., their home, because of her activity in the 1938 production of the St. Charles "Pageant of Progress." Three members of the supervisory staff, Captain Robert G. Johnston, Commanding CCC Co. 3729, Foreman J. V. Reilly, and Mechanic Everett L. Conley, were not able to attend as rules of the Civilian Conservation Corps require one of the Army personnel and two of the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering personnel to be at the camp at all times in the 24 hours of the day.

Those present were Superintendent and Mrs. Jacoby, and two daughters, Katherine and Marjorie; Mrs. Robert G. Johnston and four children, Dick, Sarah, Jimmy, and Madeline; Ensign and Mrs. George M. Christiansen; Foreman and Mrs. Omar A. Kemp; Educational Advisor and Mrs. Rufus Crews; Dragline Operator and Mrs. J. F. Thornburg and daughter; Dragline Operator and Mrs. James M. Cole and daughter, Jimmy-Marie; Junior Assistant Technician and Mrs. Ervin T. Harris and Mrs. Harris' sister, Miss Norma Mannon; Foreman Cecil A. Westmoreland; Engineer E. L. Miller, Jr., and Bud Dawson of New Madrid.

Mrs. Jacoby and daughters returned to their home in St. Charles Monday morning.

SWAMP ANGELS, VINSON IN 12-INNING DEADLOCK

Errors in the last of the ninth inning permitting two unearned runs that tied the score, kept the New Madrid CCC Angels from an 8-6 victory over Vinson in their return game at Vinson Sunday afternoon. The game was called at the end of the twelfth with the count still knotted at 8-8. Almon "Red" Reagan of Brownwood pitched the entire game for the Angels, while C. Mayberry did most of the flinging for Vinson.

The score by innings:
New Madrid... 003 100 301 000—8
Vinson... 400 001 003 000—8
The Angels will play the first LaForge team at LaForge Sunday afternoon, July 31, at 2:30 p. m. The camp won the first game of this series last May but the home team will put a stronger team on the field Sunday.

CCC YOUTH PARTAKES OF RELIGIOUS SERVICES

The supervisory personnel of the CCC Drainage Camp at New Madrid are proud of the interest the enrollees are taking in local church work. The Army Chaplain visits the camp every two weeks and gives inspiring talks at meetings attended by the entire company. He is assigned by the Army to maintain religious consciousness among the boys, in which he succeeds admirably. Regularly ministers of the various local churches have given inspirational talks at the camp and extended invitations to the enrollees members to come to the church of their individual choice. At the present time about 50 boys are attending church in New Madrid.

At the Presbyterian Church, Frank McAfee, of East Prairie, has been appointed vice-president of the young peoples' Sunday School class. He is also Chairman of Spiritual Life. Edward Virgin, of Cascade, has been elected Treasurer and chairman of stewardship of the young peoples' group. He is holding also the office of treasurer and chairman of stewardship of the Potosi Presbytery, which includes the Southeastern

part of Missouri. At the Church of Christ, Joe Walters, of Free-mont, is assistant Sunday School superintendent.

The construction crew of the New Madrid CCC Drainage Camp has completed work in four pipes and gates through the levee on the east side of Ditch 37 of the Little River Drainage District. They were installed south from Highway U. S. 62 on the first ditch east of the Floodway.

The Speeder dragline, owned by the U. S. Bureau of Agricultural Engineering and operated by the New Madrid CCC Drainage Camp, has started clean out work at the upper end of Ditch 46 of the Little River Drainage District. This ditch is a half mile east of the "air-line" road north from Lilbourn. The work will be extended to an outlet in Little River. Howard Latimer of Marston and Claude Jones of Gideon are the operators on this machine.

Engineer Guy B. Fasken, who has been on a short vacation, returned to his duties at the New Madrid CCC Camp Friday, July 22. Last Wednesday he proceeded to the Delta CCC Drainage Camp, where he will take charge about the middle of August.

Miss Lillian Bergmann of Santa Monica, Calif., who has spent the past several weeks with her sister, Mrs. E. C. Matthews, is visiting in the home of another sister, Mrs. Robt. Vogelsang at Cape Girardeau, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Marsh spent Sunday in Marion, Ky.

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DANGER PATROL

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We often become impatient and angry with youngsters for these thoughtless acts, but remember, their's is a carefree life. We cannot expect time to keep serious thoughts in mind constantly.

Let's give the kids a break and be just a little more alert when we sit behind the wheel of our automobile. That is one way we can make life safer for our children.

H. E. Randolph and A. Deschamps of Morehouse, will leave Sunday for a business trip to Dallas, Austin, San Antonio and Brownsville, Texas and points in old Mexico. They expect to be away about ten days.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Harrison expect to leave Saturday for a two-weeks visit with relatives in Salt Lake City, Utah, and Bozeman, Mont. They will also visit Yellowstone Park before returning home.

1938 WHEAT LOAN PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

A wheat loan program offering cooperating wheat producers of New Madrid county loans at farm rates averaging between 59 and 60 cents a bushel was announced a few days ago by the State Agricultural Conservation Committee.

Although complete details have not been announced as yet, the following information will give wheat farmers of the county a very good idea as to the procedure says Chairman Spradling.

The loan is approximately 52 per cent of the present farm parity price of wheat, \$1.14 a bushel. The loans will be made by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and AAA committees will certify producers who are eligible for loans and be responsible for grading and inspecting farm-stored wheat placed under loans.

The rate of the loans to be offered farmers at individual points will be calculated from basic rates established for the principal terminal markets with differentials for freights and handling charges for interior points in the western and central parts of the United States and flat rates by States elsewhere.

Basic loan rates for Missouri terminal markets are as follows: Kansas City, Missouri No. 2 Hard Winter, 72 cents; No. 2 Red Winter, 70 cents; St. Louis, No. 2 Hard Winter, 75 cents; No. 2 Red Winter, 73 cents.

The loans are to be available only to AAA cooperators, according to the announcement. Wheat is to be stored either on farms or in approved commercial warehouses. Grain stored under the loan must be of specified grade, quality, and moisture content, No. 3 or better for all storage except farm storage of hard red spring wheat which must grade No. 2 or better.

Loans on farm-stored wheat are to be made directly by Commodity Credit Corporation and loans on commercially stored wheat to be by the Corporation or cooperating lending agencies. Storage charges on commercial storage are to be paid by Commodity Credit Corporation if the wheat is acquired by the Corporation. Producers of farm-stored wheat will receive a payment of 7 cents a bushel for storage if they deliver their wheat to the Commodity Corporation in proper condition on or after May 31, 1939.

Maturity of loans will be 7 months when in commercial storage and May 31, 1939 when stored on farms. Loans are available through December 31, 1938.

Warehoused loans will be secured by warehouse receipts and farm loans by chattel mortgages.

The certification of farmers eligible for loans and farm storage inspection is to be made by county AAA committees. "The

TELL WHY THE JEWS ARE BEING PERSECUTED

Having so many churches in his supervision in which to preach, and then having time only on Sundays, Elder John B. Huffman, of Sikeston, Mo., has just about quit preaching on any street or anywhere, except a regular house of worship. But, next Saturday afternoon, at 1:30, in the band stand at the City or Malone Park, Sikeston, Mo., he will preach on "Why the Jews are being persecuted, and Why the Bible Must be Fulfilled—that the prophecies Must Come True."

Since the Jews are being severely persecuted in Germany, Russia, Poland, Rumania and all over most of Europe, this minister, by special invitation from some Bible people, has consented to give a full exegesis of this subject, and explain the calamity that will happen to the nations which persist in this relentless persecution of the Jews.

Elder Huffman invites the men, women and children of Sikeston, and especially the rural districts within 20 to 40 miles of Sikeston, to come out and hear this lecture. It has much to do with fulfillment of latter day prophecy. It will be of interest to all classes. No creeds or doctrines. Just a complete explanation of scripture and world events.

Please come and attend this lecture. Remember the place—at Malone or City Park band stand, Sikeston, Mo., at 1:30 Saturday afternoon, July 30, 1938.

John B. Huffman.

wheat loans announced today are a part of an integrated ever-normal granary program for our major farm crops," says Howard Shirley, Chairman of the State Agricultural Conservation Committee. "This program can succeed only as wheat farmers cooperate in the whole AAA program for wheat."

When made at reasonable rates, and if accepted by farmers as one part of a general wheat program, wheat loans can be a blessing. In the absence of other measures wheat loans can prove disastrous both to the Government and to the farmers.

HIGH BOYS GET NO-HIT WIN OVER CHARLESTON

Billy Simmons zoomed the old softball across the plate to register a no-hit 1-0 shutout for the High School boys over the Brown Shoe Co. team of Charleston here Wednesday afternoon. The Morley girls defeated the local girls, 11-10.

JAYCEES BEAT FLOWER BASKET PLAYERS, 5-4

The Junior Chamber of Commerce softball team staged a last-minute rally to defeat the Flower Basket team in an exhibition game



RIGHT ROYAL ROAST

Next time you want to serve something spectacular for supper, try your hand at this Crown Rib Roast. Makes a sizable dish spread out regally on the family dinner table, and it's guaranteed good eating, too. Get yourself all set and

Have a—
15 to 18-rib crown roast of pork prepared at market.
Sprinkle well with salt and pepper.

Place roast in a greased open roasting pan. Fill with Ripe Olive Stuffing (recipe below). Do not add water or cover. Place in a moderate oven (350° F.) and roast 30 to 35 minutes per pound, or until a meat thermometer placed with the bulb in the center of the roast registers 185° F. After roast is about brown enough, dip small cloth in melted vegetable fat and spread over top to prevent rib ends from charring. Should cloth become dry, re-dip again. Remove to platter. Insert one-half of a small toothpick in marrow of each rib and top toothpicks with red and green grapes. Surround with fruit skewers.

To prepare skewers, steam dried prunes, apricots and figs, separately, until tender, then arrange alternately on skewers. Spread with melted butter, then place under broiler just a few minutes to heat through. Fruit skewers may be prepared ahead ready to butter and reheat.

at the Rootwad Church picnic in Salcedo Wednesday evening, 5-4. Welton Nelson lifted the ball far over the right field fence for a home run with the bases empty.

ATTEND SWINE MEETING AT A. W. MATSON'S

Twelve men and fifteen 4-H Club boys met at A. W. Matson's to enter into a discussion of how to make more profits from swine production in New Madrid county. Mr. Matson described his progress in following the "Missouri Plan of Growing Thrifty Pigs". Briefly his method was as follows: 1. To select gilts from good milk record. 2. To feed these gilts a growing ration rather than leaving them in the fattening lot. 3. To use pure bred boars. 4. Permit these gilts to farrow and raise their litters on ground that hasn't had hogs on it since being in a clean cultivated crop, thereby keeping the pigs free from worms and disease. 5. To full-feed the pigs from start to finish. Mr. Matson's record for four pig crops were discussed. It

STOUT STUFFING

Stuff your Crown Rib Roast with a Ripe Olive Dressing tucked snugly in the center of the crown:

Cut meat from—
4 dozen Ripe Mission Olives.
Combine with—
8 cupfuls very dry bread cubes (2 medium dry loaves)
1 16-ounce can Consommé
2 teaspoonfuls salt
1/2 teaspoonful pepper
2 tablespoonfuls finely minced onion.

Mix well, then pack firmly into crown roast. Trimmings cut away in preparing crown roast may be ground and added to stuffing.



SAUCE FOR SAVOR

Here's tops in a Hollandaise Sauce to crown a dish of broccoli or asparagus. Does double duty, too. Can be reheated in upper part of double boiler and served for a second success. Concoted so, it's simple:

Melt—
1 tablespoonful butter, then add 1 tablespoonful flour and blend well. Cook until bubbling.

Add—
1/4 teaspoonful salt and 1/4 cupful milk, then cook over hot water until thick.

Remove double boiler from fire, then add—
2 teaspoonfuls Pure Cider Vinegar and 1/2 cupful Mayonnaise. Blend well.

Serve hot over broccoli, asparagus or other vegetables.

has required from 4 1/2 to 6 bu. of corn to produce 100 lbs. of gain, with 23 to 30 lbs. of tankage. Where the pigs had legume pasture they required approximately 10 lbs. less tankage for 100 lbs. of gain.

Ass't County Agent Lane discussed the relative merits of wheat, barley, oats, and rye as compared to corn for feeding swine. The high points of this discussion: 1. Pound for pound, ground wheat is worth approximately 20 per cent more for feeding swine than corn. 2. Ground barley is 95 per cent the value of corn. 3. Oats, have no place in a fattening ration; the value of this fed in any ration depends upon the quality of the oats. 4. Though rye is similar to wheat in composition it is an inferior swine feed. Rye often contains large quantities of "ergot", and ergot is harmful to livestock. Mr. Matson is going to continue his record keeping and is glad to discuss his results with anyone who is interested.

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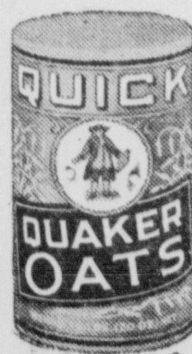
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